

**THE WEATHER TODAY**  
Washington, Feb. 10.—Forecast for Eastern New York: Rain or snow Friday; Saturday fair. Not much change in temperature.

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## STRIKE CENTERS QUIET AT NIGHT

Disorders of Day Were Confined Largely to Cutting of Power Wires in North Albany

## FIVE CARS SENT OUT

Each Was Heavily Screened and Guarded Against Attack, But Few Persons Cared to Ride

Albany, Feb. 10. — Both Albany and Troy were quiet tonight under the heaviest guard of state troopers and police assembled since trouble began to develop from the strike of the United Traction company's 1,200 employees. Down-state militiamen were ready for a possible summons to duty in both cities where violence for two days followed attempts of the company to resume trolley service with crews of strikebreakers. The Traction company announced that it expected to have 125 cars—half of its normal number—in operation soon. Only five cars, each heavily screened and guarded, ventured out of the towns today, two of them operating in Troy and three in Albany. All were packed under cover before nightfall. A bare handful of passengers paroled them.

### Troy Disorder at Minimum.

Disorders in Troy consisted only of the tossing of a single stone at a stalled car, but Mayor James W. Fleming requested Governor Miller to send state troopers there as a precautionary measure and this was done. In Albany, a few wires were broken down and an attempt was made to assault a strikebreaker.

Citizens of both cities were nervous, however, from their experiences of yesterday and pruned youngsters quickly drew a crowd in the heart of Albany's business district by heaping a tor explosive on the street, while the blowout of an automobile tire near the carhans attracted several mounted troopers in a jiffy.

Officials of the union on strike held firm to their decision not to sanction a return to work at the 25 per cent reduction in wages which precipitated the walkout 12 days ago, but insisted they were willing to arbitrate. The traction company officials declined to make any statements concerning their attitude.

Chief of Police Hyatt of Albany late today served notice on local dealers that the sale of firearms and ammunition had been prohibited during the period of the strike.

Electric light wires leading to the North Albany barns, again were cut early tonight and the big structure was in darkness for a short time. A party of 10 additional strikebreakers were due to arrive from New York early tomorrow to replace men who had decided they did not care to continue to work here or had been discharged.

The first demonstration in the western section of the city occurred at 6 o'clock this afternoon at Central avenue and Quail street, when a mob of 200 men and women attacked a guard who left a car to get a package of cigarettes.

When the guard came out of the store he was set upon by the mob and knocked to the ground. Cries of "We'll get you" were heard.

Six militiamen who were stationed at the intersection of a block of Central avenue and Quail street, rushed to the assistance of the guard. The crowd was quickly driven back on the sidewalk, although the officers were forced to draw their guns.

The guard was then escorted to the fifth precinct station house and the mob was placed on the next car bound for downtown. The man apparently was not hurt by the rough handling he had received. He had been riding on one of three cars which are being operated in the city today, and when the car came to a stop at Central avenue and Quail street he alighted and ran into a nearby store.

Despite the efforts of the police, small groups of men have been congregating all day in the vicinity of the Quail street car barns. It was reported today that the company might attempt to operate cars out of the Quail street barns at any minute.

With three cars running over the United Traction company's lines and the state troopers in complete control of the situation in North Albany, where the disturbances occurred yesterday afternoon, the 13th day of the strike of the Traction company employees found things in a more settled condition than they have been since the company ran its first car on Tuesday morning. Up to now not a disturbance of any kind had occurred and the three cars continued over the route taken by the first car, Broadway, State, Washington avenue, Central avenue to Watervliet avenue, and part of the time on North Pearl street, without incident.

North Albany resembled a deserted village this morning and when the first car, West City line, No. 591, left the barn at 7:15 o'clock, there were not a dozen persons in the vicinity, and most of those who did appear were men on their way to work. Five minutes later the second car, No. 525, left the West City line, left the barn and was followed a few moments later by another car of the same line, No. 593. The cars were all heavily screened, but contained fewer guards than did the cars that were run on Tuesday.

While no serious disorders were reported during the night, a considerable amount of trolley wire was pulled down and cut in various parts of the city other than the North Albany section, where such activity heretofore has been confined. On the West Albany line where service was maintained during the day, much damage

## YOUTHFUL SLAYER IS PUT TO DEATH

Evansville, Indiana, Boy Who Killed Samuel Wolchak, Brooklyn Stationer, Is Executed

Ossining, Feb. 10. — Jess Walker, 26-year-old youth of Evansville, Indiana, was put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison tonight for the murder of Samuel Wolchak, a Brooklyn stationer, whom he tried to rob on November 3, 1919.

Walker, accompanied by Rev. Dr. A. N. Peterson, Protestant chaplain, entered the death chamber smoking a cigar. As he was being strapped into the chair, he called to the other condemned men in the death house: "Good-bye boys. I hope you all get home."

After two shocks he was pronounced dead.

Walker and two other youths, Guy Nichols and Joseph Auth, were indicted for killing Wolchak. Auth was acquitted and Nichols was sentenced to die in the electric chair next month. Unsuccessful efforts were made by residents of Evansville to save Walker. Pleas by Senators New, Calder, Stanley and Watson also failed to induce Governor Miller to commute the death sentence.

Walker's last hours were spent in reading love letters from a girl in Indianapolis, whose identity the prison officials shielded. The messages seemed to cheer him.

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Walker expressed sorrow for his mother, who, he said, has done everything she could for him.

## CODE OF PRACTICE PRINCIPLES BARED

Edward F. Dean, Bookkeeper for John T. Hettrick, on Trial For Coercion, Explains

New York, Feb. 10. — The practical operation of the "code of practices" as explained on the witness stand today by Edward F. Dean, bookkeeper for John T. Hettrick, on trial with William L. Smith, William H. Chapman and William L. Doran on charges of coercion, the four men are charged in indictments with conspiracy to force plumbing contractors to join the Master Plumbers' association under the penalty of causing strikes.

Despite the objections of seven attorneys representing the four defendants, Dean was allowed to testify relative to the methods and accountings of Hettrick and the cash book of the Master Plumbers operating under the code of practice was placed in evidence. He stated that between September 13, 1919, and February 27, 1920, the Master Plumbers' association paid Hettrick about \$21,859 in fees for legal services.

George E. Gibson, president of the George E. Gibson company, the next witness, testified that he was told to seek Hettrick and that it would be a good thing for him to join the Master Plumbers' association.

Hettrick said we should submit our bids to him and he would hold them until it was time to submit them, Gibson testified.

## STEAL LOAD OF WHISKEY.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 10. — Leo Salamandra, wholesale bottle of this city, was slain; his brother, Tito Salamandra, and his sister, Christina Salamandra, were severely blacked tonight when six automobile bandits attacked them near Rocky Hill and stole a truck loaded with whiskey which they were bringing to this city from New Brunswick. One of the bandits drove away with the liquor, the other four men started toward New Brunswick and when near Franklin park the car was ditched and one of them was killed.

It was reported, while in the southern part of the city where no attempt yet has been made to operate cars, many feet of wire were dismantled.

A heavy snow fall was in prospect at midnight. No attempt had been made to have the tracks cleared of several inches of snow which already had fallen then.

It is expected that the first cars out tomorrow will be pions and sweepers.

The cars were escorted from the barns by members of the state troopers but the escort left them after they had gone about 100 yards south on Broadway and they proceeded without protection other than the guards in the cars. A few passengers patronized the cars today, two men boarding the car at the Washington avenue and Dove street and riding to the railroad station. Through the heavy screening the passengers could be seen to drop their fares in the box and the conductor rang them up on the register. It was planned by the company, it was said, to keep the cars running all day.

At noon new crews were brought from the North Albany barns to the office of the traction company at Broadway and Columbia street where they relieved the men who had been on cars since early morning. The new men worked with apparent confidence and they left the cars without any police protection and entered the traction company's office building. One policeman was on duty there.

## New Men Paid Off.

The new men received their first pay from the company today. They were taken from the North Albany barns, their headquarters, to the Broadway office. The place was well crowded for over an hour, it taking some time to pay off the hundreds of new men who have taken the places left vacant by the strikers.

## BERGDOLL CASE MAY BE PROBED

Investigation of Draft Dodger's Escape and Subsequent Flight to Germany Is Urged

## WAS WELL FINANCED

Young Philadelphian Obtained \$105,000 From Treasury Department to Effect His Release

Washington, Feb. 10.—After developing some of the high spots in the case of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, the house military committee decided today to ask congress for authority to find out how the rich Philadelphia draft dodger escaped from a military guard and made his way to Germany, the country he had refused to fight.

The committee voted to go to the bottom of the case after hearing District Attorney Charles D. McAvoy of Philadelphia, who declared there was no evidence to justify the charge that anybody connected with the war department had been corrupted with Bergdoll money. The name of D. Clarence Giboney, counsel for Bergdoll, was brought into the proceedings and Mr. McAvoy was quite positive in the belief that Giboney was drowned in Mexico, despite an anonymous report received by the committee that he was alive.

### Indicator Necessity of Action.

Sherman Kahn, who introduced a resolution last night providing for appointment of a special committee to conduct the Bergdoll investigation, announced tonight that enough evidence had been developed to indicate the necessity of action at this time.

Recent statements from Germany by the former military convict prompted the committee to renewed effort, in view of the runaway's charge that he had obtained from the treasury department and concealed in the woods \$105,000 in gold to be used in effecting his release through bribery of government officials.

Leaving aside a multitude of details connected with Bergdoll's escape, the committee will seek to ascertain what influence enabled Bergdoll to obtain so much actual gold from the treasury at a time last year when the supply was being conserved. The most important threat to be followed, members said, was the ability of the prisoner's lawyers to obtain his release under guard for the purpose of proceeding to the end of a rainbow in the hills of Maryland to find and dig up his pot of gold. It was while he was out on the golden search that Bergdoll was in Philadelphia, a visit his mother, indicted with him, eluded his soldier guards and slipped away in the same automobile he had used many time for highway speeding.

### Absolves War Department Heads.

Mr. McAvoy testified there was no doubt of the fact that Bergdoll got the gold from the treasury. In expressing belief that no high officials of the war department had been corrupted, he said he was equally positive that the draft dodger had not escaped through political influence. He declined, however, to express an opinion in view of his close study of the case, of the wisdom of the war department in permitting release from prison under guard of a prisoner on the slimy tale of treasure buried like the hidden fortunes of Captain Kirk.

Describing the legal tactics of the former prisoner's mother, Mrs. McAvoy indicated that a Philadelphia lawyer, wise enough to solve any court problem, could not satisfy the woman who constantly traded one attorney for another. After Mrs. Bergdoll had paid out \$12,500 in fees, she quit cold, he said, and left Grover alone with his plan of buying his freedom. From Mr. McAvoy the committee obtained a definite statement as to the disposition of \$12,500. Five thousand of this amount, he said, went to Samuel T. Ansell, former judge advocate general of the army; \$5,000 to Giboney and the sum of \$2,500 to former Judge J. T. Wickersham of Pennsylvania, a little to an alienist and a little less to a lawyer in New York.

## TYPHUS INCREASE CAUSES CONCERN

Thirty Immigrants Infected by Disease Are Now Aboard Ships in New York Harbor

Washington, Feb. 10. — Alarmed by the increasing number of cases of typhus among immigrants arriving in the port of New York, federal health authorities tonight were engaged in a study of methods to prevent introduction of the dread disease into the United States.

The situation at New York, where more than 20 immigrants are aboard ships suffering from typhus, was brought to the attention of President Wilson late in a telegram from Dr. Royal P. O'Connell, New York health commissioner. Dr. O'Connell called the President's attention to provisions of the quarantine act of 1920, granting the President authority in the interests of the public health to prohibit in whole or in part the admission to the United States of persons or property from such countries or ports as he may designate and for such time as he may deem necessary.

### BOX FACTORY BURNS.

Bristol, Vt., Feb. 10. — The factory of the Vermont Box company was destroyed by fire tonight. The loss was estimated at \$100,000. Spontaneous combustion is believed to have started the blaze.

## HARDING IS BUSY WITH HIS CALLERS

C. C. Dotsey, a Colorado Lawyer, Is Boosted by Friends For Secretary of Interior

St. Augustine, Fla., Feb. 10.—Callers offering advice on many subjects poured in on President-Elect Harding today as soon as he opened his office after a three weeks' vacation. So long was the waiting line of prominent men and women asking for the President-Elect's time that he made little progress with his correspondence or with any of the other accumulated business with which his desk is piled high.

Despite the influx of visitors, however, Mr. Harding slipped away during the afternoon for a game of golf. A workout on the links is expected to be a part of his daily routine during his stay here, for he will insist on coming to the presidency in good physical trim.

Although there was nothing today pointing to decisive developments in regard to the cabinet, the day did not pass without its offering of advice on the subject, Senator Hipps of Colorado brought to Mr. Harding's attention his friend, C. C. Dotsey, a Colorado lawyer, whose qualifications he

urgently set forth for the post of secretary of the interior. Mr. Dotsey accompanied the senator, but so far as could be learned they brought away no promise of an appointment.

Another who saw Mr. Harding was F. Davies Wardell, head of the Association of Railway Securities Owners. He is understood to have presented about the attitude of the federal government toward the railroad problem.

Carmi Thompson of Ohio, an official of the Republican Speakers' bureau during the campaign; H. F. McGregor, Republican national committee chairman; and J. M. Dorsey, former national chairman, came to talk about various patronage problems, and Senator Wadsworth of New York brought a report on the status of army legislation in congress.

## LURE OF THE WOODS VIES UNEMPLOYMENT

Hundreds of Maine Mill Workers, Out of Work, Live Well in Lumber Camps

Dover, Me., Feb. 10. — The lure of the woods has solved the unemployment problems of hundreds of Maine mill workers who have been thrown out of work by the closing of the mills. When some of the woolen mills closed last fall, hardly had the wheels of the factories ceased to turn when the exodus from the cities to the lumber camps began and all who came were welcome in the land of the axe and peevie.

Labor is eagerly sought by the lumber operators and the inducements offered included health, good wages and a round of enjoyments, with moving pictures and dancing after the eight-hour day ended.

Here is the menu provided for the lunch of the men who are lured by the work of the woods in the present time: Rump steaks, choice roasts and chicken; potatoes, shoe-string French fried or any other delicate style, although those who want 'em with their jacks-on can have 'em; yeast bread; cream of tartar biscuits; puddings; pies and other bits of pastry prepared by expert cooks. Unlimited supplies of tea, coffee and cocoa are ready at all hours.

In contrast is the grub given in the lumber camp a decade ago. The tollers then kept their muscles spry on beans, salt horse and then more beans.

The work, at the present time, is hard and steady, but the pay is sufficient to support the families left behind in the town homes and give a fair margin for luxuries, according to statistics furnished by state authorities. In many cases, the reports show, that improvement in health has been secured with a check to any tendency to wasting diseases.

"Do we like it?" repeated a bushy-whiskered, impromptu lumberjack when questioned about his life among the pines, during an excursion into town to see the folks. "I should say we do. I feel better than I have since the old days on the farm."

"Do we eat?"

"Ask the camp cook."

## FALL ROBS JEWTRAW

Lake Placid Skating Champion Had Even Break For Mile Race in International Skating Meet

Lake Placid, Feb. 10. — Charles Jewtraw of Lake Placid and Joe Moore of New York city, tied for honors today at the opening here of the international skating championships. Jewtraw won the 220-yard race and Moore took the 220-yard race. Jewtraw took the mile race, after Jewtraw had fallen over George Thompson of Chicago, who fell directly in his path. Thirty points each were accorded Jewtraw and Moore.

Moore also took a tumble in the semi-final of the 220-yard dash when he attempted to cut in on Russell Oakes of Montreal and struck a side line block.

Finals of the 220-yard dash—First, Charles Jewtraw, Lake Placid; second, Charles German, St. John, N. B.; third, Roy McWhorter, Chicago. Time, 26 seconds.

## SCORE STORM VICTIMS.

Oconee, Ga., Feb. 10. — One white boy and 25 negroes were killed when a tornado struck here soon after one o'clock this afternoon, seriously damaging the plans of the Oconee Lumber company and other property. Between 30 and 40 other negroes were injured by flying debris.

## FATAL TORNADO INVADES SOUTH

Two White Persons and Nearly 30 Negroes Are Killed, and Nearly as Many Hurt

## PROPERTY LOSS BIG

Bodies of Several Small Negroes Are Found in Tree Where They Had Been Thrown by Wind

Oconee, Ga., Feb. 10. — A tornado that struck the Gardner settlement one mile from here shortly after noon today brought death to two white persons and nearly 30 negroes, and serious injury to five white persons and more than a score of negroes.

A stretch of land extending almost to Toombsboro, nearly five miles long and about a half mile wide, is as barren as a prairie tonight, not a building or tree being left standing.

Among the dead is Benjamin Orr, 41, who was decapitated. The other white person who met death was the three-year-old daughter of F. L. Minor, manager of the Shepherds community at the plant of the Cleveland-Oconee Lumber company. Eighty-two children and three teachers were in a school building on the edge of the Gardner settlement when the tornado struck. The building was twisted to pieces and the fragments scattered for miles. Children were picked up by the wind and carried for some distance, but it was announced tonight that only one was seriously injured. Approximately 40 houses were blown down in the Gardner settlement. The Shepherd Brothers' commissary at the big lumber plant was reduced to kindling wood. Ten feet away from the commissary, the general office of the Cleveland-Oconee Lumber company was untouched.

Ten minutes after the tornado had wiped out the Gardner settlement, a Central of Georgia local freight train arrived and the conductor immediately ordered the locomotive detached from the train and with the crew hustled to Tennille, 11 miles away, for aid. Coaches were commandeered from the Whitesville and Tennille railroad and four doctors and 45 persons were obtained in the relief party and the train returned there.

Doctors found one negro boy with a board driven into his forehead. They removed the board and gave temporary aid. The youth was alive and it is believed he will live.

The bodies of several small negroes were found in trees. The bodies of grown negroes were thrown into a field in a semi-circle and in the center of a group was a goat, who stood like a statue, too frightened to move for hours after the storm had passed.

## FINANCES PURCHASE OF AMERICAN GOODS

Stock Will Be Distributed in 64 Reserve Cities For Benefit of Financing Corporation

New York, Feb. 10.—Announcement was made today at the offices of the committee on organization of the foreign trade financing corporation here that committees for the distribution of its stock were being organized in 64 reserve cities. More than half of these committees have been completed, the announcement added.

John McHugh, chairman of the organization committee, in a statement regarding a "misunderstanding in some minds" of the purpose of the financing corporation, said:

"This corporation is being formed for the purpose of financing the purchase of American goods in every part of the world, and not as some people infer in Europe alone. The purpose of the corporation is to facilitate American shipments to customers abroad whose credit is absolutely sound and who will provide a guarantee for the repayment of funds advanced them. The corporation intends, above all else, to make certain of the safety of its loans."

## \$50,000 INITIATION FEES AND CLUB ORGANIZER GONE

New York, Feb. 10. — An investigation of the reported disappearance of W. Y. Jackman, who is said to have collected \$50,000 from prominent business men as initiation fees in the formation of the Connecticut Athletic Club, was ordered today by Acting District Attorney Banton.

Jackman, it is said, came to New York about a year ago, rented a luxurious suite of rooms in a hotel, incorporated the club under the laws of the state of New York, had plans for a handsome 15-story building of 20,000 square feet floor space, and began canvassing prominent business men for funds.

## NEW YORK MERCHANTS FAVOR MILLER'S TRACTION PROGRAM

New York, Feb. 10.—The board of directors of the Merchants' association today unanimously adopted a resolution favoring the traction plan for the city of New York, as proposed by Governor Miller. The board, however, reserved decision on Governor Miller's proposal that the city should own the street lines.

The resolution said the directors reiterated their previously expressed opposition to municipal operation under any and all conditions.

## SAYS PUBLIC FAVORS DISARMAMENT PLANS

Former President Taft, Before Ontario Bar Association, Defines Views of This Country

Toronto, Feb. 10.—The people of the United States are for disarmament, Henry W. Taft, president of the New York Bar association today told the Ontario Bar association. When Mr. Taft and his family returned to the British embassy at Washington, he hopes he may have some suggestion as to how we may be able to participate, said Mr. Taft. "Since we are not in the league of nations our participation must necessarily take that into account. There is a strong sentiment in the United States that we should back up the movement for disarmament, but until things settle down under the new administration, it is difficult to predict the precise form the United States participation may take."

"Indeed, conditions in our country are such, by reason of the change in administration and the situation created by the expression of the people in the recent election, that it is difficult to formulate the manner in which we may become a factor for the accomplishment of those fundamental provisions embodied in the covenant of the league that our country has always believed in and continues to believe in."

"I refer particularly to those provisions of the covenant relating to arbitration and mediation; the provisions for the suspension of war until three months after a determination of any disputed question submitted to international court, and the establishment of principles of international law."

"The most important question now before us, which must remain unsettled until the new administration has come into power and in some way obtained the views of members of the existing league is the form and manner in which we shall become an influential factor in bringing this about."

## SENATE RECEIVES COLBY'S REFUSAL

Secretary Explains Reason For Withholding Text of Recent Negotiations With Japan

Washington, Feb. 10. — The letter of Secretary Colby, declining to transmit information on the negotiations that have been conducted with a view to treaty action with Japan, was received without comment today by the senate foreign relations committee. The letter was in reply to a communication of the committee forwarded at the instance of Senator Johnson of California, requesting information on the subject, if not incompatible with the public interest.

Secretary Colby said in his letter that the records of the negotiations now in his possession were "practical" by that of a preliminary comparison of views, coupled with recommendations which are still the subject of examination."

"Substantial progress has been made toward an ultimate agreement," the letter added, "through the informal conversations conducted by Rolland S. Morris, the United States ambassador to Japan, and Baron Shidehara, the Japanese ambassador with the view of laying the basis of a new treaty or amending existing commercial treaties in an effort to solve the problem arising from the enactment last November by California of an anti-alien land bill."

"There is no agreed text of which a copy could be communicated to the committee in advance of the regular submission of whatever convention may ultimately be signed," Secretary Colby said in his letter.

## ACCUSE POLICEMEN ON MURDER CHARGE

Whitman's Investigation of New York Graft Reveals Crime That Passed Unnoticed in 1918

New York, Feb. 10. — An indictment charging two members of the police department with murder in the first degree was returned by the grand jury today after former Governor Whitman, conducting the inquiry into alleged city corruption, turned his attention to putative suppression by the police of evidence in a murder case in 1918.

The two policemen, who were charged with the murder of a young man, were charged with responsibility for the death of a 19-year-old boy shot and killed in July, 1918, whose case was re-submitted today after it originally had been dismissed without indictments being found.

A woman witness told Mr. Whitman that she hurried to the police station and pointed out Floyd and O'Brien as the two officers who shot the boy. The boy's father, it was said, was made to sign the matter.

Although he two policemen implicated in the death of the boy returned to the station shortly after the shooting, to record of the boy's death appeared on the blotter.

"There is not a grand jury in the country but wouldn't have indicted on the evidence presented this afternoon," former Governor Whitman said.

## RAIL WORKERS CLAIM VICTORY

Decision That National Agreements Shall Remain in Force For Present, Is Hailed With Delight

## UPSETS UNION PLANS

Bombardment of Railroads' Request for Immediate Abrogation of Pacts Had Been Planned

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Decision of the United States railroad labor board today that the national agreements shall remain in force until completion of the present hearing was characterized tonight by railroad employees as a victory. The ruling came as a surprise to both the railroad and labor representatives and upset plans of union officials for a bombardment of the railroads' request for immediate abrogation of the agreements.

Fortified with a battery return to the British embassy at Washington, he hopes he may have some suggestion as to how we may be able to participate, said Mr. Taft. "Since we are not in the league of nations our participation must necessarily take that into account. There is a strong sentiment in the United States that we should back up the movement for disarmament, but until things settle down under the new administration, it is difficult to predict the precise form the United States participation may take."

### Effort to Crush Unions.

This statement and an amplification by Mr. Walsh, charged the railroads with being a party to an attempt at wiping out collective bargaining and crushing all labor organizations. When they had finished, they were prepared to proceed with the regular business of the railroad, but the board's decision against granting the request left little for the labor men to do except file a statement prepared by B. M. Jewell, president of the railroad employees' department of the American Federation of Labor.

Both sides of the controversy expressed gratification that the hearing would proceed in the regular manner. W. W. Atterbury, speaking for the railroads, declared that "if there was urgency on January 31, when I made the request of the board, there is still more now. December reports from the Interstate Commerce commission show that 115,000 miles of railroad did not earn their operating expenses and fixed charges for the month."

W. Jett Lauck, consulting economist for the labor men, however, declared the real issues were not the rules themselves, but what "they concret





## Sanitary Coops

**National Crop Improvement Service**  
**L**ITTLE chicks are not so hard to raise if you keep them healthy and in sanitary surroundings. Not enough attention is given to the A-shaped coop which confines birds during the first days of her new family. These coops should be frequently disinfected and freed from pests by spraying them with a thin white wash in which has been dissolved one pint of formaldehyde to four gallons of water. Leave the coops exposed to sun and air for a portion of each day.  
 The secret of raising poultry, is to keep the birds clean.

## DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

### FORMER STAMFORD RESIDENT

Frank Ames, Civil War Veteran, Will Be Laid to Rest Saturday.

Stamford, Feb. 10.—Frank Ames, a former resident of Stamford, died at his home near East Worcester, on Wednesday, aged about 90 years. The funeral will be held Saturday at 11 o'clock at the Stamford Baptist church, with interment in Stamford cemetery.

Mr. Ames was a carpenter by trade and for many years resided on South street, Stamford. He sold his Stamford home in 1919 and purchased a small place near East Worcester. He was a member of John A. Logan Post, G. A. R., Stamford, and the Odd Fellows' lodge. He is survived by his wife and one brother, Henry Ames of Stamford.

### Stamford Notes.

Stamford Fire Department will realize nearly \$300 from the dance and supper held at the Opera house on February 4.—Some changes and

## STOP ITCHING SCALP

Rub Parisian Sare on your head and you will not have to scratch the dandruff off your itching scalp. George S. Slade sells it with money back guaranteed.

## West End Electric Shop

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## FLOWER VALENTINES FAST-GROWING VOGUE, MONDAY, FEB. 14th

The day when mothers, sweethearts and wives should be remembered with tokens of affection and esteem.

Flowers and Flowers Only Are in the Best Taste For Valentines Day.



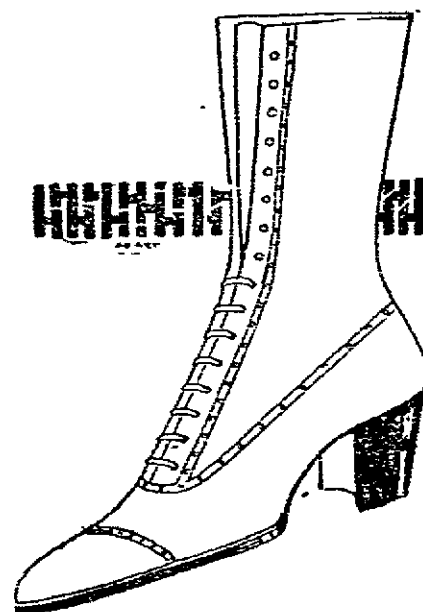
It Will Give You Pleasure to make your Selections From Our fancy "Flowers for Valentines"

Roses—Violets—Lily of the Valley—Carnations—Spring Flowers. If you can't call, FLOWERPHONE 79-W. We'll do the rest.

Mail orders carefully executed

**Derrick, Florist**  
 Oneonta Theatre Bldg.

We telegraph Valentines all over



## Joggle Your Memory and remember these Prices

Our Fire Sale is continued for another ten days and the best feature is that the prices are still lower.

Men's Work Shoes, big sizes principally at	\$1.49
Women's Felt Spats	98c
Women's Felt Shoes	\$1.89
Women's Leather Jubettes	\$1.89
Women's Felt Slippers	\$1.89
Men's Leather and Felt Slippers	\$1.49
Boys' House Slippers	\$1.89
Boys' Shoes in Black or Tan	\$1.89
Women's Brown Kid Lace Boots: a ten dollar value: at	\$5.89
Women's All Leather Strap Slippers at	\$1.89
Men's Black Dress Shoes	\$3.69
Men's Extra Quality Scout Shoes	\$2.89
Infants' Brown and Black Kid Shoes: sizes 4 to 8: at	\$1.89
Children's Black or Brown Hose at	29c
Women's Black or Brown Lisle Hose at	49c
Men's Brown or Black Hose	19c
Misses' and Children's Shoes: black or brown: at	\$2.89

## FLOYD F. TAYLOR COMPANY

160 Main Street

Shoes Rubbers Hosiery

Oneonta, N. Y.

## MARKET IS SLUGGISH AND VERY IRREGULAR

Metal Issues Furnish Only Constructive Feature of Day's Wall Street Trading Session

New York, Feb. 10.—Business on the stock exchange today was again extremely sluggish and irregular, the small dealings and contracted scope denoting to an unusual degree the absence of initiative from any responsible quarter.

The only constructive feature was furnished by metal issues, that group displaying visible improvement as a result of the formation of a banking syndicate to market huge stores of copper abroad.

On the other hand, rails were subjected to renewed pressure following the announcement that the railroad labor board had rejected the application of railroads for immediate abrogation of the wartime wage agreement.

Yet another adverse development was the publication of the United States Steel's tonnage statement for January, disclosing an additional decrease in unfulfilled orders of \$75,000 tons. Special interest attached to this showing in view of Chairman Gary's attitude respecting prices and wage.

Such speculative interest as existed concentrated mainly on the oils, steels, shipments and several of the food specialties. Price movements frequently conflicted, but consistent strength was shown by California petroleum, which rose steadily, making a net gain of 3 7/8 points. Short covering was also helpful to rails at the firm close.

The open market was hardly a barometer of actual money conditions, local loans holding on the stock exchange at 7 per cent, while free offerings were made privately at six per cent. British exchange was firm, French, Belgian and Dutch rates were strong and the Swiss and Scandinavian quotations were appreciably better. The Bank of England weekly report showed a marked strengthening of liability reserves.

All classes of bonds tended downward on final dealings, the conspicuous feature being St. Paul refunding 4 1/2's, which fell six points.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	35	35	35	35
Am Cot Oil	22	22 1/2	22	22 1/2
Am Can	29 1/2	30	29 1/2	30
Am H & L	48	48 1/2	48	48 1/2
Am Int	117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2	118 1/2
Am Lin	57	58 1/2	57	58 1/2
Am Loco	332	332 1/2	332	332 1/2
Am S F	301	301 1/2	301	301 1/2
Am Smelt	43	44 1/2	43	44 1/2
Am Sug	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Am T & T	99 1/2	100 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2
Am Sum	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Am Wool	62	62 1/2	62	62 1/2
Anaconda	28 1/2	29	28 1/2	29
A G & W I	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Atenison	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Bald Loco	332	332 1/2	332	332 1/2
Balt & O	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2
Beck S B	56 1/2	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2
B R T	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Burke & S	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	134 1/2
Cal Pet	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Can Pac	117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2	118 1/2
C de Pasco	29 1/2	30	29 1/2	30
Can Leath	29 1/2	30	29 1/2	30
C & O	59 1/2	60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
C M & St P	28 1/2	29	28 1/2	29
Chan Mo	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2
Cano	234 1/2	235 1/2	234 1/2	235 1/2
Chile	11 1/2	12 1/2	11 1/2	12 1/2
Col Graph	78 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2
Corn Prod	69 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
Crucible S	91 1/2	92 1/2	91 1/2	92 1/2
Cuba Can S	22 1/2	23 1/2	22 1/2	23 1/2
D & H	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	101 1/2
Denver pfd	42 1/2	43 1/2	42 1/2	43 1/2
Do Int pfd	135 1/2	136 1/2	135 1/2	136 1/2
East T	20 1/2	21 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2
Exch Tire	142 1/2	143 1/2	142 1/2	143 1/2
Gen Elec	128 1/2	129 1/2	128 1/2	129 1/2
Gen Mot	144 1/2	145 1/2	144 1/2	145 1/2
Goodrich	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
Gt Nor pfd	76 1/2	77 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
G Asphalt	66 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2

Haskell	52 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
Ins Cop	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Int Con	5	5	5	5
do pfd	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Int Pag	52 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
I M M	142 1/2	143 1/2	142 1/2	143 1/2
do pfd	52 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
Intestible	232 1/2	233 1/2	232 1/2	233 1/2
House Oil	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2
Is Steel	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Kib S Tre	46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	47 1/2
Ken Cop	192 1/2	193 1/2	192 1/2	193 1/2
Keystone	14 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	15 1/2
Lk Steel	52 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
Lehigh V	51 1/2	52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2
Max Mo	52 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
Mex Pir	158 1/2	159 1/2	158 1/2	159 1/2
Midvale	302 1/2	303 1/2	302 1/2	303 1/2
Mama	182 1/2	183 1/2	182 1/2	183 1/2
M M S	182 1/2	183 1/2	182 1/2	183 1/2
M S Oil	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Nat En	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
N Y N H	21 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2	22 1/2
Nor Con	112 1/2	113 1/2	112 1/2	113 1/2
Nf and W	99 1/2	100 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2
No Pac	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Phil W Va	292 1/2	293 1/2	292 1/2	293 1/2
Pan Am Pt	232 1/2	233 1/2	232 1/2	233 1/2
Penn	402 1/2	403 1/2	402 1/2	403 1/2
Pan Am B	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Peo Gas	382 1/2	383 1/2	382 1/2	383 1/2
P S Car	942 1/2	943 1/2	942 1/2	943 1/2
Pure Oil	452 1/2	453 1/2	452 1/2	453 1/2
Ray Con	14 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	15 1/2
Reading	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Rep I S	232 1/2	233 1/2	232 1/2	233 1/2
Rock Isd	232 1/2	233 1/2	232 1/2	233 1/2
Ry Du N Y	592 1/2	593 1/2	592 1/2	593 1/2
Sin Oil	252 1/2	253 1/2	252 1/2	253 1/2
So Pac	782 1/2	783 1/2	782 1/2	783 1/2
Sp Ry	222 1/2	223 1/2	222 1/2	223 1/2
Stberg	352 1/2	353 1/2	352 1/2	353 1/2
Stucker	552 1/2	553 1/2	552 1/2	553 1/2
St L Sa Fr	212 1/2	213 1/2	212 1/2	213 1/2
Union Cop	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Texas Co	422 1/2	423 1/2	422 1/2	423 1/2
Texas Pac	282 1/2	283 1/2	282 1/2	283 1/2
Tob Prod	532 1/2	533 1/2	532 1/2	533 1/2
Trans Oil	9 1/2	10 1/2	9 1/2	10 1/2
Union Pac	120 1/2	121 1/2	120 1/2	121 1/2
Uni Res S	52 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
U S I Alco	682 1/2	683 1/2	682 1/2	683 1/2
U S Fuol	232 1/2	233 1/2	232 1/2	233 1/2
U S Steel	682 1/2	683 1/2	682 1/2	683 1/2
U S Steel	822 1/2	823 1/2	822 1/2	823 1/2
Utah Cop	562 1/2	563 1/2	562 1/2	563 1/2
Vidua	7 1/2	8 1/2	7 1/2	8 1/2
Walash	52 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
do pfd	242 1/2	243 1/2	242 1/2	243 1/2
Westing	442 1/2	443 1/2	442 1/2	443 1/2
White Mo	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
Willis-O	72 1/2	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
W V Tel	582 1/2	583 1/2	582 1/2	583 1/2

### New York Produce.

Butter—Steady; receipts, 6,732; creamery, higher than extras, 43¢; 44, creamery, extras (32 score), 42¢; state dairy, good to prime, 31¢; 40¢; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 21¢.

Eggs—Unsettled; receipts, 21,475; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 40¢; fresh gathered firsts, 37 1/2¢; state, Penna and nearby western henery whites, firsts to extras, 42¢; do, brown, extras, 42¢; do, gathered browns and mixed to extras, 39¢; 41¢; refrigerators, 30¢; 32¢.

Cheese—Irregular; receipts, 539; state, whole milk, flats, held, specials, 26¢; 25¢, do, average run, 24¢; 23 1/2¢; state, whole milk, flats, fresh, specials, 23 1/2¢; 25¢; do, average run, 22¢; 23 1/2¢.

Rye—Easy; No. 2 western, \$1.70.

### New York Meats.

Cattle—Receipts, 700; no trading; calves, receipts, 450, steady, common to prime veals, \$11@17.50, calls, 35¢; 40¢, little calves, \$5.50@6.75.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,150; steady; sheep (ewes), \$3@5; calls, 32¢; 2.50; weaners, \$5.50; yearlings, 36¢; 7¢; lambs, \$7.50@10.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,750, veal; light to medium weights, \$11.25; pigs \$11.25; heavy hogs, \$10.50; roughs, \$8.00.

### Chicago Grain.

WHEAT—

Mar... 161 1/2 162 1/2 161 1/2 162 1/2

May... 151 1/2 152 1/2 151 1/2 152 1/2

July... 65 1/2 66 1/2 65 1/2 66 1/2

Sept... 69 1/2 70 1/2 69 1/2 70 1/2

OATS—

May... 44 1/2 45 1/2 44 1/2 45 1/2

July... 41 1/2 42 1/2 41 1/2 42 1/2

### ONEONTA MARKET.

Grain and Feed at Retail.

Wheat bran... \$2.15

Cracked corn, cwt... \$1.70

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Corn, per bu., old... \$1.34

Table meal... \$4.50

Corn and oats... \$1.88

Ground oats... \$2.05

Oats, per bu... \$1.65

Poultry grains... \$2.75

Gluten feed... \$3.95

### PIECE WORKERS' WAGES

IN G. E. FACTORY CUT

LYNN, Mass., Feb. 10.—Reduction in wages of 15 per cent for piece workers and eight per cent for day workers at the General Electric company plant here was announced Wednesday by General Manager Rice, to go into effect next Monday. No reduction for salaried employees was made.

A wage cut was agreed upon unanimously by the plant's joint committee on adjustments, which comprises four employees and four representatives of the management and the amount of the reduction was left to the general manager, it was stated.

### QUESTION MOTHER'S SANITY.

ITHACA, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Dora Pearl Durrey, of Ithaca, was held for trial last Saturday shot to death her two small children, was arraigned yesterday on a charge of murder. She waived examination and was held for the March grand jury. It was announced that a commission will be appointed at once to investigate into Mrs. Durrey's sanity.

### ENDORSE BRIAND'S REGIME.

PARIS, Feb. 10.—The chamber of deputies has ratified the Paris agreement by a vote of 325 to 82. Many deputies abstained from voting. The chamber voted confidence in the government, 387 to 125.

### The Oneonta X-Ray Laboratory.

The X-ray laboratory of the late Dr. Luce has been reopened for the accommodation of physicians and their patients. Patients who were taking treatments at the time of Dr. Luce's death may now resume. Inquiries should not be made of the Oneonta X-ray laboratory or Dr. Getman.

Don't be unreasonable. Instead of scolding when the coffee is poor, it's easier to end your coffee troubles by ordering a package of Orange Tea.

## ONEONTA THEATRE

TO-DAY at 2:30 ADULTS 17c TO-DAY 2:30-7 and 9 p. m. TO-NITE 7 and 9 All Seats 22c

11c - Children at the Matinee To-Day - 11c

A Paramount Artcraft Picture

Robert W. Chambers' GREATEST NOVEL

The Fighting Chance



## OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

## AT WEST LAURENS.

**Sewing Circle to Meet—School Children Make Perfect Attendance Record.**  
West Laurens, Feb. 10.—The Women's Sewing circle will meet with Mrs. Willis Carter next Wednesday afternoon. Everybody welcome.

**Telephone Company Elects Officers.**  
At a meeting of the stockholders of the West Laurens Telephone company on Saturday, Henry Culver was elected president, Gervais Cornell secretary and treasurer and Fred Lull and Charles White collectors. Parties were given the privilege of voting by mail.

**Five Record of School Children.**  
The children of Butts' Corners of last year were 100 per cent in attendance in December and are displaying a banner for two weeks presented by the district superintendent.

**Personnel Pointers.**  
Mrs. Harry Dyer and son, Lyle, are visiting relatives in Sweden this week. — This community was shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Kenneth Wing of Otsdawn on Monday. — Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cornell returned on Sunday from their wedding trip. — Mrs. Jennie Martindale spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Louis Johnson. — Mr. and Mrs. William Butts and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gardner of Oneonta were guests on Sunday at Fred Dyer's.

## WORCESTER LOSES GAME.

**Town Team Puts Up Good Fight, But Is Defeated, 32-25.**  
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## BAKE SALE AT OTEGO.

**World Wide Guild to Sell Bread, Cakes and Cookies.**  
Otego, Feb. 10.—The World Wide Guild of the Baptist church will hold a bake sale at the store of Hunt & Waring, Saturday afternoon, commencing at 2:30 o'clock. A fine line of baked goods will be offered and the proceeds of the sale will be for the benefit of the church. The sale will be held at the home of Miss Arian Marks next Monday evening.

**Methodist Church Notes.**  
Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, the Epworth League will meet at the home of Charles Hawkins for business and a social time.

**Dr. James A. Hayes will preach in the church Sunday evening. The fourth quarterly conference will convene at the close of the service.**

**Grange Meeting.**  
The regular meeting of the Otego Grange will be held in the grange hall next Monday evening, at which time the first and second degrees will be conferred upon a class of candidates.

**Items of Interest.**  
Otego chapter, O. E. S., meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Thomas Hall has purchased the property at the corner of River and Foster streets. John Roberts has purchased the W. J. Card residence on Averill street. J. P. Volz of Scranton and Mrs. Frederick Lander of Forest City were weekend guests at the home of their brother, Rev. C. C. Volz. Mr. and Mrs. William L. Rodenbaugh are visiting relatives in Pennsylvania. Wallace Martin of Albion have been visiting at their Otego homes. Miss Pauline Fuller visited friends at Milford Center over the week-end.

**SCHENEVUS WOMAN'S CLUB.**  
Meets With Mrs. Wild and Entertains Mrs. Bates.  
Schenevus, Feb. 10.—The Woman's club spent an enjoyable afternoon at the home of Mrs. John H. Wild Wednesday, when an informal reception was given in honor of Mrs. F. E. Bates of Schenevus. Mrs. Bates is district chairman for the sixth district of the Federated Women's clubs of New York state. During the afternoon Mrs. Bates gave an interesting talk on the work of the federation, especially in educational matters. Dainty refreshments were served and several musical numbers added much to the pleasure of the occasion.

**Return to Schenevus.**  
The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Chamberlain, who have been living at Washington, S. C. for some time, will be glad to learn that they have returned to Schenevus and will occupy A. M. Chamberlain farm on Upper Main street.

**Economics Club Meets.**  
The Home Economics club will hold an all-day session at the residence of the president, Mrs. Floyd E. Lewis, next Tuesday. The county home bureau agent, Miss Helen VanCleave, will be present and assist the members in making dress forms. A covered dish luncheon will be served. Each person attending is requested to furnish a covered dish and sandwiches, also bring plate, cup and saucer, fork and spoon.

**Rebekahs to Meet.**  
The regular meeting of Wiontha Rebekah lodge will be held tomorrow (Friday) evening.

**Oneonta Shoppers.**  
Mrs. Ida L. Baldwin and Mrs. Alice M. Bennett were among Oneonta shoppers Wednesday.

**Matters of Interest Discussed.**  
The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Sherman on Main street Friday afternoon. A large number were present at the meeting and topics of vital interest were presented and discussed. Several new members have joined the society this year.

**Mrs. Friery Entertains Bridge Club.**  
The Bridge club met at the home of Miss Anne Friery on Lower Main street Wednesday evening. All present had a most enjoyable time. Some of the guests later attended the party given by Harriet Jones in honor of his mother, Mrs. Edward Jones.

**MILFORD MENTION.**  
Sunday School Class to Hold Bake Sale—Returns From South.  
Milford, Feb. 10.—Mrs. D. S. Sayre's Sunday School class of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a bake sale on Saturday afternoon of this week at Earl Culver's store.

**Bank Closed Saturday.**  
The Milford National bank will be closed all day Saturday, Lincoln's birthday.

**Returned From South.**  
Irving Hall, who went to Florida in November to spend the winter, returned home the first of the week. Mr. Hall's short stay was due to the illness of his brother, Seymour Hall.

**Purchase Spring Millinery.**  
Mrs. G. D. Culver departed the first of the week for New York city to purchase her spring line of millinery. She will remain in the city about a week.

**Attend Colburn Funeral.**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rider and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Deane are at Morris today attending the funeral of Mrs. Alice's and Mrs. Deane's uncle, S. W. Colburn. Mr. Colburn was a brother of the late Charles Colburn of this village.

**PORTLANDVILLE POINTERS.**  
C. E. Society to Hold Pie Sale and Social This Evening.  
Portlandville, Feb. 10.—The Christian Endeavor society will hold a pie sale and social in Community hall Friday evening. Each lady is requested to furnish one pie. The gentlemen are to be the buyers. There is a price limit. No one can bid above 50 cents. A cordial welcome to all.

**Local Briefs.**  
Mrs. C. C. Champlin of Cooperstown spent Wednesday with Mrs. W. L. Wellman. — Mr. and Mrs. George Becker returned home Tuesday, after an absence of two months. Mrs. Becker's mother, Mrs. Ackley, returned with them. — George Richards, who has been ill for the past week, was able to walk on the street this morning.

**G. L. Packer is finishing the repairs on the interior of his store. Leslie Wheeler is doing the carpenter work. The extra electrical work is completed and his residence is also lighted by electricity. — We are glad to report that our neighbor, Harvey Westcott, is gradually improving from his lingering illness.**

**An Enjoyable Evening.**  
The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church held one of its popular suppers in the church parlors Wednesday. The proceeds were \$18.60. A very pleasant evening was spent with several in attendance from Oneonta and Milford. Mrs. Ford McLary was chairman of this supper. The next supper is to be served March 5th.

**MILFORD CENTER NEWS.**  
Mrs. Anna Allen Dead—Enjoyable Home Bureau Meeting.  
Milford Center, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Anna Allen died Wednesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Peck, after a prolonged illness. The funeral will be held Saturday at 10 a. m., with burial at Meredith.

**With the Home Bureau.**  
The Home Bureau meeting at Mrs. H. J. Ferguson's was well attended. At the business session Mrs. Ferguson was elected chairman and Mrs. Clark W. Morris vice chairman. The club reports that Mrs. J. W. Moffatt, who has been successfully treated on the work, resumed as chairman on account of the illness of Mr. Moffatt.

**An "Illustrated Evening."**  
There will be an illustrated sermon, and songs at the Baptist church next Sunday evening.

**Local Mention.**  
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ferguson and daughter, Anna, spent Tuesday in Oneonta. — Miss Anna Lull, who is teaching at Gloversville, was the weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Lull. — Walter Forties was in Milford Thursday on business. — Mr. and Mrs. Alan Arnold and son, Leslie, went to Utica Saturday for an extended stay with Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Arnold, who are in very poor health. — Mrs. Clark W. Morris and son, Gordon, will spend the remainder of the month in Cobleskill and Troy, visiting friends and relatives. — Mrs. R. Parsh of Oneonta was a guest Sunday of her brother, J. W. Moffatt. — John Lehr, who has been ill the past week with symptoms of the face and pneumonia, is reported to be gaining. — Mrs. Daniel Smith was taken suddenly Saturday morning with a hemorrhage of the head. Dr. Seiber attends her. — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carley and grandson, Paul Carley, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wright.

**WESTFORD NEWS NOTES.**  
Westford, Feb. 10.—Mrs. J. K. Skinner has purchased of Mrs. Harry Granger the house now occupied by Estaline Acker. — Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Jones of Middlefield were guests Saturday night of Mrs. Jones parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Roberts, and on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wilbur. — I. S. Bulson of Schenevus visited his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Roberts, last Sunday. — The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cummings is improving under the care of Dr. Winsor Schenevus. — Lee McCorrie and Kenneth Groff were in Cooperstown on business Monday. — Mrs. Fannie Kline is spending some time with Mrs. M. J. Esmy at Phoenix Mills. — The Baptist Ladies' Aid society was entertained at the home of Mrs. M. Burlingame Thursday afternoon.

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## SOME STRIKING RESULTS.

A marked decrease in criminal court work, a large decrease in commitments to correctional institutions, and only a very slight decrease in the number of persons placed on probation by courts throughout the state are outstanding facts presented in the Fourteenth Annual Report of the New York State Probation Commission for 1920, now being submitted to the legislature.

The commission finds that while certain serious, spectacular crimes of violence, like hold-ups and burglaries, have increased in some cities, the total number of criminal assignments greatly decreased during the past year. This was due to the effects of prohibition, to good industrial conditions early in the year, and the commission believes, in no small degree, due to the better organized and effective probation work and other preventive work with delinquents now carried on throughout the state.

There are now 236 probation officers employed in all courts throughout the state, beside 140 regularly appointed volunteers. These officers investigate the home conditions and surroundings of offenders brought before the courts and receive them on probation when the courts decide that they deserve another chance to make good without the stigma of prison or reformatory. Probation is largely used for children and first offenders and in exceptional cases for second and more serious offenders when the judges have reason to believe that the delinquent is penitent and ready to reform and will observe the strict conditions imposed. Probation, when properly used, is far different from a suspended sentence. It is a strict form of discipline requiring regular reports, close supervision by the officer extending over a long period of time.

Last year a total of 19,537 persons throughout the state were placed on probation; 8,662 of these were children under 16 and 12,775 were adults. At the close of the year, 15,290 persons were actually under probation. A total of 19,490 finished probation terms last year, of whom 79.7 percent made good and were discharged as entirely successful. This is a larger percentage of successes than any year before. Five and nine-tenths percent were partially successful and 14.4 percent were failures, 8.2 percent being re-arrested and committed. Only 6.2 percent escaped from the supervision of their officers.

The commission points out the fact that the number of persons committed to all public correctional institutions, including reformatories and training schools for children, jails and prisons, has decreased every year since 1915. The prison population on July 1, 1920, was the smallest in many years, namely 10,502. On the same date, there were actually 4,885 more persons on probation than in all correctional institutions. During all this period, the use of probation has increased or held its own. For the past three years, the number of persons on probation has exceeded the population of all public correctional institutions.

## BESET WITH DIFFICULTIES.

Every kind of road cost about twice as much to build in 1920 as it did in 1917, according to the chief of the Bureau of Public Roads, United States Department of Agriculture, and highway construction suffered more than any other class of work through railroad congestion, strikes, labor troubles, and material shortages.

After the war there was a great public demand for improved roads. Many roads had been seriously damaged by war traffic, and it appeared that the return of men from military service would provide an abundance of labor. The army of laborers which was expected to apply for the work did not, however, materialize. On the contrary, there was a distinct shortage of labor, and wages reached the highest levels attained in the history of the country. In 1917 competent labor could be secured for from \$1.50 to \$3 per day, but the corresponding wages in 1920 were from \$3 to \$5 for a shorter day's work.

In proportion to this demand there was also a pronounced scarcity of construction materials. Sand, gravel, stone, and cement, and materials commonly used in road work increased in price between 1917 and 1920 from 50 to 100 per cent. Naturally, these increases in cost were reflected in the prices paid to contractors for road work. Gravel roads increased from \$4,335 to \$7,250 per mile; concrete from \$21,155 to upward of \$40,000 per mile, and brick roads from \$55,000 to \$55,000 per mile.

As funds available for road construction are largely limited by statute, or by the returns from taxation, a majority of the states this year have considerably withheld work, the plans for which had been completed, until they could obtain a greater return for their expenditure.

## Granted Honorable Discharge.

Lucius S. Westcott, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Westcott, who has for years been serving in the U. S. navy, arrived yesterday for a stay with his parents. By special order of the secretary of the navy he has been granted an honorable discharge, to permit him to return and resume his studies. He has during his enlistment served on the battleships Georgia, New Mexico and Tennessee, but recently has been stationed at the Brooklyn navy yard, from which yard he was discharged to return home. He will after a few weeks at home doubtless enter a business college for a commercial course, preparatory to engaging in business. His many friends are pleased to greet him.

## PARTY ENROLLMENT IN OTSEGO

There Are 11,251 Enrolled Republicans and 5,514 Democrats in Otsego County. Over Ten Thousand Voters Without Party Preference.

The list of enrolled voters for Otsego county has just been completed at the office of the commissioner of elections at Cooperstown, and through the courtesy of the commissioners and of W. O. Himmelfarb, clerk of the commission, The Star is able this morning to present the figures of enrollment for each district of the county. These figures, it will be noted, embrace only three parties of largest enrollment. There were, however, 57 Socialists enrolled in the county, of whom 49 were in the city of Oneonta. In the whole county, there were Socialists enrolled in 35 districts; and outside of this city, the largest Socialist enrollment in a district was in the town of Westford, which has seven members of that party on its rolls. The following is the complete registration, except of the above-named party, along with the total registered vote:

Town Dist.	Rep.	Dem.	Pro.
Burlington—1	242	82	47
Burlington—2	431	171	162
Butternuts—1	450	229	22
Butternuts—2	442	122	22
Cherry Valley—1	237	197	61
Cherry Valley—2	298	77	61
Cherry Valley—3	252	112	65
Decatur	294	67	59
Edineston—1	281	128	47
Edineston—2	165	108	18
Edineston—3	169	57	16
Edineston—4	231	100	79
Exeter—1	274	155	55
Exeter—2	189	82	21
Hartwick—1	422	125	112
Hartwick—2	438	133	73
Hartwick—3	381	149	82
Laurens—1	431	172	115
Laurens—2	198	99	21
Laurens—3	267	55	19
Maryland—1	364	155	97
Maryland—2	759	232	24
Middlefield—1	209	76	34
Middlefield—2	230	125	39
Middlefield—3	412	119	95
Millford—1	559	242	148
Millford—2	517	184	192
Morris—1	412	181	55
Morris—2	30	39	11
Morris—3	361	154	64
New Lisbon—1	432	145	159
New Lisbon—2	210	83	41
Oneonta Town—1	655	162	72
Oneonta Town—2	546	192	90

Oneonta City—  
First Ward—1 472 255 147 15  
First Ward—2 495 225 129 24  
2nd Ward—1 464 226 96 52  
2nd Ward—2 463 233 159 25  
3rd Ward—1 391 260 100 17  
3rd Ward—2 442 232 113 21  
4th Ward—1 259 158 59 5  
4th Ward—2 422 221 129 29  
5th Ward—1 254 226 127 14  
5th Ward—2 315 205 91 11  
6th Ward—1 279 154 101 14  
6th Ward—2 287 164 94 15

Otsego—  
Otsego—1 458 176 55 15  
Otsego—2 462 165 67 16  
Otsego—3 492 224 113 7  
Otsego—4 559 218 137 7  
Otsego—5 521 125 89 27  
Otsego—6 590 124 79 2  
Otsego—7 155 59 38 3  
Otsego—8 475 216 66 4  
Otsego—9 283 89 35 2  
Pittsfield—  
Pittsfield—1 501 159 55 5  
Pittsfield—2 475 214 53 4  
Richfield—1 712 286 159 4  
Richfield—2 549 241 114 4  
Richfield—3 291 118 61 4  
Roseboom—1 292 117 29 4  
Roseboom—2 235 80 36 19  
Springfield—1 322 73 108 6  
Springfield—2 571 154 115 5  
Unadilla—1 212 107 99 12  
Unadilla—2 447 130 88 7  
Unadilla—3 519 154 79 4  
Unadilla—4 359 119 56 2  
Westford—  
Westford—1 458 110 33 2  
Westford—2 252 137 88 9  
Westford—3 410 132 88 2  
Westford—4 200 50 64 4  
Westford—5 459 201 114 15

Grand total: 23192 11424 5549 614  
A year ago the total enrollment was 16,031 of whom 5,020 were Republicans, 5,296 Democrats, 732 Prohibitionists and 61 Socialists. By comparison with the total above it appears that there are 2,404 more Republicans enrolled this year than last, 533 more Democrats, 28 more Socialists and 163 less Prohibitionists. Next fall there will be five tickets on the official ballot, the added one being the Socialist Labor. It is not definitely known what arrangements will be made for enrolling members of the latter party before primary day, but it is believed that there is some provision of the statutes which will enable them to do so.

Readers will also be interested to know that while the total number of registered voters in the county is 28,122, the actual number enrolled as members of political parties is but 17,964, which indicates that there are over 10,000 voters who either did not care to enroll or have no political preference. In any event this apparently unattached vote would be about large enough to swing the election in practically any direction, except perhaps for the Socialist, if it were all cast one way, as of course it never would be.

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## OTSEGO AND NEARBY COUNTIES

Events of Current Interest Collected, Clipped and Condensed.

Rev. C. L. Herrick, for ten years pastor of the Baptist church in Worcester, has tendered his resignation, to take effect the last Sunday in March. No announcement as to his future plans has been made.

Arthur Race, a well-known resident of Tuscan, near Worcester, died suddenly Tuesday evening of apoplexy. He was 59 years of age, and is survived by his wife and five small children.

The Aquatic Enamel Products company has bought the Sidney plant of the Phoenix Cheese company and will at once remodel the interior, and within six weeks commence the manufacture of Aquatic blocks.

Under orders of the postmaster general, the postoffices at Mt. Upton, Smyrna and South New Berlin have been advanced from the fourth to the third class, and become presidential offices. Other offices similarly advanced are Sidney Center, Eaton, Harpursville and Manassas.

Ralph Getman, who, two years ago, is alleged to have murdered his wife, was Herkimer, and then escaped the county, is now in an Arkansas prison, and wants to be brought back home to be tried for wife murder. The only way to get him out is for the Arkansas

governor to pardon him, and this he will not do unless assured that Getman will be convicted in Herkimer county.

Frank Fitzgerald of Sidney became violently insane last Sunday, and has since been taken to the Binghamton State hospital for treatment. Several years ago he suffered from sun stroke, and has since been subject to epileptic fits.

At the recent Republican primaries at Deposit village there were 100 persons present, and John Page was the unanimous nominee for president; the election will be held on Tuesday, March first.

Sportsmen of the village of Deposit will meet next week for the purpose of re-organizing the Rod and Gun club, which, some years ago, was allowed to lapse.

R. J. Tower, for two years manager of the Globe store in Norwich, has resigned his position, and on March first will become pastor of the First Baptist church at Covert, Seneca county.

Thomas Hall, telegraph operator at Otsego, has bought the Crandall place in that village. The purchase price was \$2,250. Mr. Hall will occupy the house on March first.

Miss Florence Helen Miller of Conestoga recently left on the journey to Hamadan, Persia, where she will be met by and married to Lieutenant R. Bentley of Rochester, who is in the

Armenian and Syrian relief service. To reach Hamadan, Miss Miller must travel about ten thousand miles.

Rev. Harts Fuller, pastor of the Methodist church at Goshen, has inaugurated the plan of having a light lunch with music in the church parlors at the close of the Sunday evening services. The new plan was started last Sunday, and it is believed will be successful.

The Hancock Herald states that an automobile club will be organized in that village. For the past two years, Hancock has been affiliated with the Deposit club but it is now proposed to have independent clubs in each place.

The Cooperstown Chamber of Commerce has provided a rest room for women visiting the village. The room is on the second floor of the building of the Chamber, and is equipped with couches, easy chairs, etc.

Elmer J. Barney of Milford, who is a junior at Cornell university, is chairman of the committee which has charge of the live stock exhibit at Farmers' week at Cornell this week.

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One for Black Kid Oxfords; low and military heels; \$7 values; at .. \$2.97	Sizes 2½ to 6 .. \$3.97	Children's Heavy Ribbed Hose .. 27c
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Mangle  
Feather Your Nest  
Old Pal, Why Don't You Answer Me  
Falestina  
Kiss-A-Miss  
Wandering Home  
Avalon  
Somebody  
Darling  
I Love the Land of Old Black Joe  
Kismet  
Now and Then  
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Gem Folio  
Black and White Series (Whitmark)  
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That Night  
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## LOCAL MENTION.

**Happiness.**  
Happy the man who heart no sadness mars.  
More happy he who smiles 'mid healing scars.  
For as the sun needs storm to build the bow.  
So greatest joy doth greater sorrow know.  
—Pierre Shields.

—Both banks will be closed all day Saturday—Lincoln's birthday, a legal holiday.

—The pay car on the D. & H. is scheduled to arrive in Oneonta Saturday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock, and to remain over Sunday.

—The net receipts from the baby sale held yesterday at the Kilkenny restaurant on Broad street by the ladies of the Plains Methodist Episcopal church were about \$30.

—F. S. Patridge, owner of the Patridge block on Broad street, states that the report for some days current and which was published as a rumor, to the effect that the store therein had been leased to Jacob Schanzky, is entirely unfounded.

—On Wednesday evening a party of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. L. F. Sherrill, center street, to celebrate her 45th birthday. Liberal refreshments were served and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Among the guests was Mrs. Helen E. Kanner of Mt. Vision, who is an aunt of the hostess.

—There was a large attendance on Wednesday evening at the reception given by the Philaetha class to the Baracas of the First Baptist church. The program included several musical numbers, and story telling by members of the classes. Afterwards refreshments were served and a social hour brought the evening pleasantly to a close.

—There will be another double bill on the basketball court at the High school tonight, the boys' and girls' teams of the Cooperstown High school coming here to show local fans what kind of basketball are developed at the county seat. The locals are looking for the same result as last Friday night. The first game will be called at 7 p. m. Tomorrow night will also be a basketball night, a "triple-header" being on the bills at the Normal school.

## Open House at Woman's Club.

The "open house" meeting of the Woman's club yesterday afternoon was well attended and a varied and excellent entertainment was given under the direction of Miss French of the Normal faculty. The program included several excellent piano solos by Miss French, who also accompanied Miss Bagley, who gave a number of vocal numbers with fine effect. Miss Adelaide Gallagher delighted the audience with a humorous selection, and Miss Julia Martin gave an admirable paper on "The Poets of the Future," in which fitting tribute was given to the American and English singers who made the supreme sacrifice in the great war. An informal but appreciative discussion of these poets followed, after which tea was served with Mrs. Leslie Gardner, Mrs. H. G. Hart and Mrs. E. J. Lusey as hostesses.

## Meetings Today.

St. James' guild of St. James church will meet in the parish rooms at 2:30 this afternoon.

Regular meeting of Oneonta circle, No. 248, P. H. C. in B. R. T. hall, at 8 o'clock. Initiation.

The members of Perseverance lodge will meet with Mrs. Slater at 44 West street at 2:30 today to discuss social.

The Loyal Helpers of the Main Street Baptist church will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Bert Boos at 55 East street.

Dress rehearsal, "A Stunt in Time," this evening. Important for all to be present promptly at 7 o'clock.

Oneontans Receive Fruit From Florida.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Joles of 8 Nehwa place have just received a box of grape fruit and oranges of fine flavor from their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Joles, of Orlando Florida, who own a fine fruit grove there.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Fish have been pleasantly remembered with a fine box of fruit from their daughter, Miss Myrtle Broese, who is spending the winter in Orlando, Florida. Miss Broese reports a very pleasant time touring the coasts of Florida.

## Ladies' Attention!

Your inspection of the new spring and summer lines will be greatly appreciated. It contains a great variety in the latest styles and weaves in woolsens and silks for practical and in the very latest styles. Charles Swoboda, 150 Main street.

## In a Modern Age

Buy a modern cabinet—Join the Hoosier club—\$1.00 down, \$1.00 a week. Call for demonstration. Home Furnishing company.

## Talk with Collier

If it's a farm or city property. Have some wonderful values just now. Offices Main and Broad streets, Oneonta, N. Y. Phone 559-J.

## Dairy of Cows.

One pair 3,200 pound draft team, one road mare, one good Portland cutter. Sheldon's auction this afternoon.

## Our "One Day" Special.

Rose Bird matches, regular price, 10c per box; today 5 boxes for \$1.00. 12 boxes, Fingden's grocery. Phone 518.

Mert Baker will be at the public market Saturday with very choice beef, pork, veal, sausage, hamburger cheese, home-cured lard, fowls and eggs.

St. Mary's Altar society will conduct a sale of home made cooking at Kerner brothers Dietz street this afternoon.

Fresh fish, oysters and clams for prompt delivery. Phone 226-W. Ellis Market, 102 Main street.

Don't miss the food sale at Kerner brothers' market today.

## CHAMBER ELECTION TONIGHT

No Meeting of Membership Tonight Due to Failure to Secure Speaker—Secretary Hicks Returns from Convention.

Polls in the election of Chamber of Commerce directors will close at 7:45 o'clock this evening and all members must make their final ballot to the organization offices before that hour in order to have them counted. The elections committee, of which Lawrence Palmer has been appointed chairman, will meet at 7 o'clock to begin the canvass of ballots.

No meeting of the membership will be held tonight, and the first announcement of the directors elected will be made in The Star tomorrow morning. Members who desire are invited to be present at the office of the Chamber during the count. It seems to have been the general impression that a meeting would be held this evening, but plans for this were dropped due to inability to secure a speaker who was being negotiated for.

Attention of the members is again called to the fact that payment on their dues must be made in order to make their votes valid in the final election. Under the new by-laws, a member is not in good standing until his dues for the ensuing quarter have been paid.

Resignations from the elections committee of Charles J. Beams, former chairman, Dr. F. H. Marx, Edward Crippen and Dr. W. Goldswaite have been received and accepted, since these men are nominees for the board of directors.

Arrangements were completed yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce for a speech on the state income tax on February 13 by Fred J. Graft, district director of the state income tax bureau at Utica, and for Palmer V. Glee, an auditor from the Utica offices, to be at the Chamber of Commerce rooms from February 19 to March 5 to assist taxpayers in making out their state income tax returns, without charge.

Secretary Everett Hicks returned Wednesday from New York where he attended the fifth convention of the National Association of Retail Secretaries. The two days' session brought out solutions for a number of retail problems which were discussed in many cities have in common. The organization has a membership of about 200 secretaries representing organizations in 36 states. The secretary of the association, T. M. E. Hicks Jr., of William Pitten's Sons, Boston, who was formerly manager of the Boston Retail Trade board, is a brother of Secretary Hicks.

## TUBERCULOSIS CLINIC

Announced for Next Thursday at Municipal Building by County Committee.

A tuberculosis clinic will be held in the Municipal building, Oneonta, on Thursday, Feb. 17, from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m., under the auspices of the Otsego County Tuberculosis committee for persons wishing to be examined for tuberculosis.

Among the average hundred people, 75 per cent to 90 per cent have tuberculosis infection. This can be prevented. Eight to ten per cent of our people eventually die of tuberculosis. This can be prevented.

Tuberculosis treated in time is curable. The disease is often contracted at an early age and does not develop until the system is in a weakened or run down condition. Hence, tuberculosis is one of the followers of the flu. The symptoms are loss of energy, colds that hang on and loss of weight. Any person that has such symptoms should be examined. To wait until one is sure he has tuberculosis is often too late. It can be cured if treated in time. Free examinations will be made at the clinic in the Municipal building, Oneonta, Thursday, Feb. 17, from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. Dr. F. L. Winsor of the Otsego sanitarium, with the assistance of local doctors, will make the examinations.

## ATTEND Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.

Secretary Lantz and W. H. Hoffman, Represent Local Association.

Secretary A. C. Lange, of the Oneonta Y. M. C. A., left yesterday morning for Syracuse, where he will represent the local "Y" at the 41st annual convention of the Young Men's Christian association of the state of New York, in session at that city today, tomorrow and Sunday.

Among the speakers at the convention, all of whom are well-known "Y" workers, will be Rev. Dr. J. Murdoch Macinnis, pastor of the South Presbyterian church, Syracuse; E. Graham Wilson of New York; F. L. Thornberry of Niagara Falls, and Fred B. Shipp, general Y. M. C. A. secretary at Pittsburgh, Pa.

The convention will close to a close Sunday evening, when various delegates will make addresses at Syracuse churches. Mr. Lange is one of the delegates chosen for this purpose.

W. H. Hoffman expects to leave today for Syracuse to be present at the convention, but several other local association men who were planning to attend have found themselves unable to leave the city.

## Own a Home—and Be Sure.

High street, near West street, \$4,000. Main, brick residence, \$4,100. Hubbard, bungalow, \$3,100. Cedar, near Normal, \$2,500. River, near school, \$2,200. Huntington, improved, \$4,100. Riverview, cottage, \$2,000. Baker, cottage near shops, \$1,500. Gile, two flat, modern, \$5,500. Watkins, double, \$5,500. Valerius, two flat, new, \$4,500. Brook, two flat, \$4,200. Near Main, three flat, modern, \$10,000.

## Church, Double House, \$2,500.

Many well-located vacant lots in all sections of Oneonta.

Several exclusive buildings not above mentioned.

Ready to show properties and help place mortgage if one is needed.

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## Dance at West Davenport.

Dance at West Davenport at 8:30 and 9:30 tonight for dance at West Davenport and will return after the dance. Fine dance music and a good time is promised all.

## The Oneonta Jazz Orchestra

Under the direction of Vyle Young is open for all engagements. There will be all styles of music and any combination of instruments. For information, phone 942 or 685-J2, cod 12.

A social dance will be held Friday night, February 11, at the new garage, 1 East Davenport. J. W. Postner, C. H. Schick.

## 4 IN COURT ON VICE CHARGES

NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS YESTERDAY IN HATHAWAY HOUSE CLEAN-UP.

Edie Ferns, Sperry Williams, Morris Sperry, Edna Whittaker, and Arthur Brown, all in City Court for Vice Charges—Avery Sentenced to Cooperstown and Whittaker Girl is Paroled.

Four of the persons taken in the police raid on the Hathaway house were in the city court yesterday morning, but otherwise there were no further developments in a case that has aroused a great deal of comment about the city and a general appreciation of the work of the authorities in cleaning up the Broad street joint. No new arrests were made yesterday, and the situation remained practically the same as on Wednesday, with the raid including practically every person who has been responsible for conditions at the Hathaway house during the past few weeks.

Edna Ferns, proprietor of the hotel, again brought Judge Huntington yesterday morning, to answer to the charge of keeping a disorderly house, having already been held for the grand jury on a gambling charge. His attorney George Wohlleben, asked an adjournment, and the case was put over until Thursday, February 17, when it probably will be brought to trial. Meanwhile, Ferns' bail of \$500 on this count is returned.

Sperry Williams was arraigned on the charge of sodomy. His attorney, John G. Johnson, asked for an examination of witnesses, and the case was put over until next Tuesday. Judge Huntington fixed bail at \$5,000, which Williams was unable to secure, and he will remain in the city jail until next week unless he is able to get the money.

Morris Avery was arraigned on the charge of adultery. Through his attorney, George L. Gibbs, he entered a plea of guilty, and Judge Huntington imposed a fine of \$50 and a jail sentence of 90 days in the county jail at Cooperstown, with one day additional for each dollar of the fine not paid. Avery was unable to secure the money, but was held over until next night at the city jail. He is unsuccessful today, he no doubt will be taken to Cooperstown to serve his sentence. This young man, who goes under the name of "Trim" Avery, has been in trouble on several occasions previously, and is well known in police circles.

Edna Whittaker, the last of the three girls caught in the raid, to be arraigned, pleaded guilty to the charge of vagrancy and was given a suspended sentence in the Western House of Refuge. Judge Huntington paroled her in the custody of Mrs. William Harrison, of the Salvation army, until such a time as she shows an inclination to conduct herself properly. In justice to a well-known and respected Oneonta family bearing a similar name, it should be stated that Clarence Kinnel, one of the men taken in the raid, has no relative in Oneonta. Although giving a local address, he came here only recently and appears to have had no useful occupation.

## IN MEMORY OF LINCOLN.

Excellent Program at Normal This Afternoon—The Public Invited.

The greatest name in secular history is the name of Abraham Lincoln. No other man has embodied so many superlative qualities. He was fearless; he was kind; he was gentle. Above all, he was committed to one life-long purpose, the preservation of the Union. It is well, therefore, that we do reverence to his memory. Tomorrow is his birthday. Not only in America but in other countries also will the day be held in loving commemoration.

At the Normal the following program will be given this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The public is invited to attend the exercises. Piano Solo Miss Mary Lauren. In Memory of Lincoln—(a) The Self-Taught, Miss Williams; (b) The Holy Maker, Miss Preston; (c) The Little Burg, Adams, Miss Peter; (d) The Speech Maker, Miss Thompson; (e) The Play "Abraham Lincoln," Miss Gallagher; (f) The Magnanimous, Miss Loy.

Green Club—Demarest's "America Triumphant."

Soprano Solo—"O'Hara's There Is No Death," Miss Josephine Lauren. School Chorus—Handel's "Largo."

## After the Elusive "Licker."

Charles Edward of Schuyler Lake and George Kober of Oneonta, both farmers well along in age and means, came to Oneonta Wednesday to get a little "licker" and ended up by spending the night in the city jail. Byard was arrested on Main street by Officer Jones and Kober on Prospect street by Officer O'Dell. Both admitted the charge of public intoxication when arraigned before Judge Huntington in city court yesterday morning and were fined \$10 apiece and given suspended sentences of 30 days in the county jail. Both said that they liked the "licker," but though it was pretty expensive, especially when a fellow has to hand out \$10 just for the privilege of getting drunk.

## Miss Cooper's Class Elects.

Miss Cooper's class of the Methodist Episcopal church met Tuesday at her home and elected the following officers: President—Sarah Miller. Vice president—Margaret Easton. Secretary—Anna Bunt. Treasurer—Pauline Spencer.

## Mrs. Snyder Improving.

Mrs. H. L. Snyder of Wells Bridge, who several days ago was brought to the Fox Memorial hospital suffering from severe bruises and a scalp wound received in a motorcycle accident, is improving steadily, though it will doubtless be some time before she will be able to return home.

## O'Connor to Give Talk.

Charles R. O'Connor, federal prohibition director for the state will, deliver an address today at the convention of the police magistrates of the state in Utica. Director O'Connor's subject is "Law Enforcement."

## Sell Your Unused Articles.

The daily sale of unused usable articles is promoted by the "For Sale" column of The Daily Star. Want Ads. If you read them regularly, you will profit by the bargains there offered.

## Valentine Novelties.

Valentine post cards, greetings, dispo novelties, place cards, call cards, etc. The Oneonta Press, Inc.

## JOSEPH A. LAWSON TO SPEAK

Distinguished After Dinner Speaker From Albany to Address Men's Club at First Methodist Church Thursday Evening, Feb. 11th.

Hon. Joseph A. Lawson of Albany, whose ability as an after-dinner speaker is well known in this city, will be the principal speaker at the next dinner of the Men's club of the First Methodist church, to be held Thursday evening, February 11, at 7 o'clock. The subject of Mr. Lawson's address has not been announced but it will be upon some timely topic that will interest all in attendance. Tickets, it is expected, will be on sale after tomorrow at the store of the Floyd F. Taylor Shoe company and at the offices of H. M. Bard & Son and of Fred N. VanWick. The ladies of the church give assurance that the dinner will fully maintain the standard of previous events and the price of tickets will remain at 75 cents. Either of the features of the evening will alone be worth the price of a ticket and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance to hear Mr. Lawson. Tickets may be secured by those desiring to attend until the number for whom provision is to be made is sold.

## Transcontinental Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe C. Briggs leave this morning for Rochester, at which city they board the special train of the New York State Retail Lumber Dealers' association for a trip across the continent. There are 35 members in the party and they will pay a visit to the forests and lumber mills of the northwest in addition to sightseeing trips to points of interest in California and other states. The outgoing journey will be over the Santa Fe and they will return by way of the Grand Canyon. The party is composed of members of the state association and their wives and a very congenial throng they will make. Mr. and Mrs. Briggs expect to reach Oneonta on the return about March 15th. The party will have a special train including diner, observation and three Pullman compartment cars.

## Miss Curtis Entertains Social Club.

Miss Charlotte Curtis pleasantly entertained the members of the Social club of the Chapin Memorial church and their friends, at her home, 4 High street, last evening. There was a good attendance, and the evening was very enjoyably passed with games, music and other diversions. At a late hour, light refreshments were served and the young people departed for their homes, after thanking Miss Curtis for her generous hospitality.

## Nominating Committee.

The nominating committee of the Oneonta club named to recommend officers for the annual election, is composed of Edward Crippen, R. E. Brigham, E. C. Lauren, M. C. Hemstreet, and C. F. Sheiland.

## Births.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Champ-lin, 33 Ford avenue, at Fox Memorial hospital, Thursday morning, an 8½ pound son, who has been named James Wilder Champ-lin.

## Valentine Social at West Oneonta.

The Philaetha class of the Free Baptist church at West Oneonta will hold a Valentine social Friday evening of this week in the church parlors. The only charge will be the purchase of a 15-cent valentine during the evening.

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## Mutual Life's Big Year

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The Mutual Life Insurance company of New York, in making public the results of operations in 1920, shows the total of insurance paid for during the year was \$423,677,719, the greatest in the company's history, compared with \$254,422,123 in the preceding year. Total outstanding insurance at the close of the year was \$2,357,973,121.

Among payments to policyholders during the year were \$30,297,482 in death claims, \$5,759,220 in endowments, \$2,644,772 in annuities, and \$21,976,566 in dividends to policyholders—the company has no stockholders, being purely mutual. Total payments to policyholders was \$57,523,160, and the total received from policyholders was \$55,652,598.

Assets at the close of the year were \$671,000,181. Liabilities were \$647,941,653, and contingency reserve or surplus was \$23,058,547.

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Men's fleeced Union Suits	\$1.79	Ladies' Gingham House Dresses at	98c
\$2.50 value; now		Ladies' Bungalow Aprons.	98c
Men's Union Suits; \$4.98 and \$5.98 values; at	\$3.98	At	
Men's and Boys' Gray Sweat-ers; \$2.50 value; at	98c	Children's Gingham Dresses	95c
At		At	
Men's Jersey Dress Gloves, \$1.00 value; now	49c	Special lot of Ladies' Dress Skirts; some pleated; others in checks and Scotch Mixtures; your choice	\$4.98
Men's natural wool Shirts and Drawers; each	\$1.49	Special lot of Ladies' and Misses' Silk Dresses; \$16.50 to \$26.50 value; now	\$10.98
Men's Wool Hose	25c	All Ladies' Silk Underwear One-Third Off regular price.	
Men's Work Pants	\$1.98	Spring Millinery received daily.	
Men's Unionalls	\$2.95		



## DEATHS.

**Mrs. William Ballentine.**  
Emogene Blanchard, wife of William Ballentine, died February 10th at 1:30 a. m. at the home of her niece, Mrs. Fred Smart, on White Hill near the Emmons lake on South Side.  
She was born September 27, 1844, and was the daughter of the late Erasmus and Emeline (Brewer) Blanchard. Several years ago she had the misfortune to fall and fracture her hip, since which time she has been practically an invalid, and has made her home with her niece. She was one of a family of six children, and she lived all her life in the vicinity of Oneonta.

Mrs. Ballentine, who was of a kindly disposition, and leaves many friends to mourn her demise, is survived by her husband, William Ballentine, one sister, Mrs. Ella Baker, and several nephews and nieces.  
The funeral will be held at her late home Sunday, February 15, at 1 p. m.

There will be a dance held in Mackey's hall at Meriden, February 15. Everyone welcome. Music by Pease Brothers' orchestra.

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\$2.25 values for	\$1.69	\$1.75 values for	\$1.49
\$2.75 values for	\$1.98	\$2.25 values for	\$1.69
\$3.00 values for	\$2.19	\$2.50 values for	\$1.98
\$3.75 values for	\$2.98	\$3.00 values for	\$2.19
\$4.25 values for	\$3.19	\$3.50 values for	\$2.98

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\$1.50 values for	\$1.12	\$2.25 values for	\$1.69
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## DEATH OF BENJ. DAVIS

Resident of City for Half Century and Well Known to All Older Inhabitants—Funeral Saturday Afternoon With Dr. Farley Officiating.

The funeral services of the late Benjamin Davis, whose demise occurred before 1 o'clock Thursday morning at his late home at 3 Academy street, was noticed in The Star of yesterday, will be held from the family home on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Edson J. Farley of the First Baptist church will officiate, and the body will be placed in the vault at the Plains cemetery to be interred later at the convenience of the family.

Mr. Davis had been in failing health for a year or more, his decline dating from a serious fall he experienced. He has faded steadily, although since Christmas time it has been more marked, and since Sunday last his condition had been critical. Death is attributed to heart trouble.

Mr. Davis has been a resident of Oneonta nearly 50 years and was one of the best known of the older generation. Born at Sand Hill in the town of Washington, Feb. 4, 1851, the son of Walter and Rhoda (Carr) Davis, his early life was passed at Sand Hill and Sand Hill Center.

Fifty years ago next December he was united in marriage with Eliza Grosvenor of Wells Bridge, and their married life has been happy and congenial. For 45 years they have resided here. He was employed for years at the D. & H. shops as a carpenter, but later retired and for six years he was employed as a member of the village police force, one of the best of the chief.

For about two score years he was chief of the police force at the Oneonta fair grounds and he was a familiar sight to all attendants. He officiated also for several years in a like capacity at the Morris fair.  
Mr. Davis was a member of the First Baptist church of this city and was universally respected. He never affiliated himself with the fraternal organizations, being devoted to his family and home. All who knew him will regret the passing of a man of many admirable qualities and with the best of intentions toward his fellows.  
Surviving him are his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Frank P. Francisco of Watkins avenue and Mrs. William C. Weaver of Sayre, Pa.; two brothers and sisters, George L. Davis and Mrs. Urban Kerr of Edwards, St. Lawrence county, and Herbert Davis and Mrs. Lester Hatch of Russell, in the same county.

## Funeral of Del'Orme Kohn.

There was a large attendance of neighbors and of intimate personal friends at the funeral of the late Del'Orme Ferdinand Kohn, which was held Thursday afternoon at his late home, 121 Main street. The funeral service of the Protestant Episcopal church, was read by Rev. R. A. Ford, pastor of St. James' church, and many floral tributes testified to a general sympathy and regard. The body was placed in the Plains vault for interment later at Glenwood. The bearers were William LaRue, William Winfrey, John Slattery, Alfred Egglestein, William LaMont and Frank McDougal. Among those in attendance from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Griffin of Cooperstown and William O. Kohn of New York city. The latter, who was the only son of the deceased, returned home yesterday afternoon.

## Prattville Parties Merry.

Henry Renz and Mrs. Mettie Weed, both of Prattville, were married at 9 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of George W. Wright of 18 Fifth street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. B. M. Johns of the First Methodist Episcopal church, and Mr. and Mrs. Wright acted as witnesses. Bride and groom left Thursday morning for Albany and Prattville, where they will visit for a few days before returning home. Both are respected residents of Prattville and have many friends who will heartily congratulate them.

## Death of Infant.

Ann Marjorie Osterhout, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Osterhout, died at the family home at 11 Fairview street yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock, after a short illness. The funeral arrangements were incomplete last evening and await the arrival of the grandparents.

## Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, March 1; Eagle, Norwich, March 3.

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## PERSONALS

Mrs. E. Thompson of McFord was in Oneonta on business yesterday.  
R. L. Harkness of Frankfort, Ky., was in Oneonta on business yesterday.  
Miss Ella Greene of this city spent Thursday with Mrs. Jane O'Connell at Otego.  
Mrs. A. D. Cook of this city, spent Thursday with friends and relatives in Cobleskill.  
Mrs. C. E. Garlock of New Paltz is visiting her brother, N. B. Garlock of 35 Cedar street.  
W. H. Porter of Davenport, was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. W. O'Brien and Mrs. A. Langberry of this city visited friends in Binghamton yesterday.  
Frank D. Leach of Binghamton arrived in the city last night and was a guest at The Oneonta.  
Miss Maria Dutcher left last evening for a few days' visit with Mrs. Louis Schmitt at Canadilla.

Miss Stephen Leonard of West Chester, Pa., is a guest of friends in Binghamton for a few days.  
Secretary A. C. Lange of the Y. M. C. A. is in Syracuse in attendance at a meeting of association workers.

Mrs. W. G. Andrus of Hartwick is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Clinton, 29 Madison street.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hills of Cobleskill arrived in the city last evening and are guests at the Windsor hotel.  
Mrs. William Burr of 19 Railroad avenue, who has been seriously ill for the past four weeks is slowly recovering.

Mrs. A. J. Doig of Endicott, who had been visiting at the home of A. H. Benedict returned home last evening.  
George A. Roberts of O. S. Hathaway's general offices at Middletown, arrived in the city last evening on business errands here.

Miss Frances Hynds of Honeoye, who had been for two weeks with Mrs. A. B. Merchant, 18 Draper street, returned home Thursday.  
Hon. Charles C. Smith and John M. Hopkins, both of Canadilla, were in the city last evening on their way home from a business trip to Albany.

Mrs. T. C. Budlong returns to her home in Schenectady today after a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Clinton, 26 Madison avenue.

Mrs. Martin Blanchard and Mrs. William Blanchard of this city are guests for the week-end of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Roscoe, in this city.

George S. Fowler of the Fowler Dry Goods company of Binghamton was in Oneonta yesterday on business in connection with the Boston store of this city.

Miss Irene Gage of Worcester was in Oneonta Wednesday evening, attending the commencement exercises of the Fox Memorial hospital. Her sister, Miss Ruby Gage, was one of the graduates.

Mrs. T. E. Blanchard and Mrs. Frank Duck of this city were in Cobleskill yesterday in the interests of the Mooseheart legion, of which a successful chapter has lately been organized in this city.

"Bill," the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Grates of Cliff street who has been critically ill, is reported as considerably improved and one of the trained nurses in attendance has returned to her home in Utica.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weaver of Sayre, Pa., arrived in the city last evening, called here by the death of Mrs. Weaver's father, the late Benjamin B. Davis, mention of whose death is made in another column.

Miss Clara Card of Mt. Vernon, who was one of the nurses graduating on Wednesday from the Fox Memorial hospital, left yesterday morning for New York where she is taking supplementary training at the Manhattan hospital.

Miss Ruth Forbes of Albany, a sister of Miss Mary Elizabeth Forbes, who was a member of the capable company producing "The Boomerang," at the Oneonta theatre last evening, arrived in Oneonta yesterday and is the guest of George I. Wilber and later will be entertained by Miss Linda V. Mead at her home on Dietz street.

Many friends of Otis Eaton, formerly of this city, will be gratified to learn that he is making a good recovery, following an operation for appendicitis which he underwent Friday of last week at the hospital in Ansonia, Conn., in which city he now resides. His sister, Mrs. C. L. Hotaling of Oneonta, has been with him for the past week.

## MANHATTAN PLAYERS.

Magnificent Repertoire of Plays at the Oneonta Theatre Next Week.  
Appearing at the Oneonta theatre next week will be the Manhattan Players, comprising a stock company that has played long engagements in Detroit, Buffalo and Baltimore, and which is said to be one of the leading stock companies in America.

The week's engagement in this city Monday matinee with a presentation of "The Road to Happiness," which has been a sensational hit, drawing crowded houses.

In the Manhattan Players the audience will see a popular stock organization surrounded with new scenery and effects, and a company which has this year left the beaten paths and opened up a new field of amusement with but the thought to please and amuse.

"The Road to Happiness" is a series of surprises built upon legitimate lines, and quite different from the ordinary comedies, which has been supplied the public for many years. This play will be given a most serious and one of the best comedies performed of the season is bound forward to their get-acquainted Monday matinee is a big event with this attraction in all cities visited, and no doubt the ladies of Oneonta will crowd the Oneonta theatre Monday afternoon to be on hand to "get acquainted."

## Card of Thanks.

To many friends and neighbors for their kindness during his illness and for their aid and sympathy following the death of my father, Del'Orme Ferdinand Kohn. I desire to extend my heartfelt thanks.  
William O. Kohn.

Have we left an egg carrier or delivery basket at your home? If so, please let us know, for we need them in our business. Fingert's grocery. Phone 523.

Light has seen lots of smoke. tt

## WEDDINGS.

Odell-Rich.

Leon E. Odell of this city and Miss Leah J. Rich, daughter of Charles Rich of Marlton, were married at 7 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. A. M. Franklin of 22 Cortlandt street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Edson J. Farley and bride and groom were unattended. The bride was tastefully attired in a brown traveling suit with hat to match. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Odell went directly to the furnished home that awaited them at 16 West street. Many friends of bride and groom will extend best wishes.

Still-Franklin.

Harold Still, whose home is at 16 Hudson street, Oneonta, and Miss Adeline Franklin of Binghamton, were married at 1 p. m. yesterday at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. A. M. Franklin of 22 Cortlandt street, in the latter city. Rev. Mr. Viehe of the South Side Presbyterian church was the officiating clergyman, and the bride and groom were attended by Mrs. Patricia Still of New York city and Beverly Still of Oneonta, sister and cousin of the bride. The bride's gown was a traveling dress of navy blue and her bouquet was of bride's roses. The bridesmaid's gown was of taffeta and her bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Following the ceremony and congratulations a delicious wedding dinner was served and at 5 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Still left by auto for Oneonta, where they are guests at the home of the groom's father, Fred E. Still, of Hudson street. After Feb. 21 they will be at home in Binghamton, where the groom is employed with Junius Bishop, a leading cabinet maker of that city. The bride has for some time been a valued employee of the Hamada Silk company. In addition to these above named guests from outside the city included Dr. Louise Franklin Miner of Norwich, Conn., Fred Still of Oneonta and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seeley of Johnson City. Many Oneonta friends will join with those of Binghamton in congratulations and best wishes.

If there were any way of making Kipnocksie Highgrade coffee better, we would have done so long ago. W.

## Oneonta Department Store

## Friday and Saturday Bargains

In Our Shoe Department

**Men's 4 Buckle All Rubber Arctic's Guaranteed First Quality All Sizes \$1.98**

Men's all rubber, 8 eyelet, lace Arctic's; guaranteed first quality; all sizes; at ..... \$2.69

Men's 4 buckle Gold Seal, all rubber Arctic's; fine quality; at ..... \$2.98

Men's heavy Work Rubbers; red sole .... \$2.00

Ladies' first quality Rubbers; all styles and sizes; at ..... 87c

Men's first quality Rubbers; all styles and sizes; at ..... \$1.29

A THREE MONTHS' SUBSCRIPTION TO THE STAR FOR \$1.50.

## MATHEWS' FEBRUARY SPECIALS

To make room for new spring merchandise we are offering special Bargains this week:-

**LADIES' COATS**  
\$17.50 to \$27.50

**LADIES' SUITS**  
\$22.50 to \$35.00

**CLOTH AND SILK DRESSES**  
\$9.98 — \$12.50 — \$19.98

**SKIRTS**  
\$5.98 to \$10.50

**BLOUSES**  
\$2.98 to \$4.98

**MEN'S and YOUNG MEN'S SUITS and OVERCOATS**  
\$17.50 to \$35.00

Special Lot of Men's Suits; with two pairs of Pants; in blue, brown and green; at ..... **\$35.00**

**NEW SPRING STYLES**

An unusual display of the latest creations in Spring Modes, featuring styles for every type and to please all tastes.

**SUITS WRAPS DRESSES SKIRTS**

At Moderate Prices

**USE OUR PAY AS YOU EARN PLAN**

The charge system that appeals to every thrifting person.

**IT IS CONVENIENT and BENEFICIAL**

No charge for the credit accommodation.

**NEW SPRING MILLINERY**

A picturesque display presenting the new season's best achievements.

A charming and most attractive selection. Smart, lovely, becoming.

Reasonably Priced

Save in Oneonta at

**The Mathews Co., Inc.**

236 Main St.

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# LUCKY STRIKE cigarette

It's toasted



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160 Main St.

## Your Doctor Knows What He Wants. So Do We.

In writing a prescription for you or one of your family, your doctor considers the individual needs. In very many instances the heart especially must be considered. So compounding prescriptions must be very carefully done. We realize its importance.

Your doctor would just as soon phone your requirements to us. We will follow his orders—exactly. And, if you wish, deliver the prescription.

### SLADE'S DRUG STORE

115 Main Street, GEO. S. SLADE, Ph. G. Oneonta, N. Y.  
If it's a prescription take it to Slade's Phone "A-66"

**The Moon Shines Brightly.**  
Advocates of the Moon and Nash gathered in goodly numbers at the Y. M. C. A. bowling alleys last night to cheer their teams on to victory. The Moons demonstrated their smooth running qualities to the satisfaction of all, and trimmed up their opponents, three straight, although the last game was won by a very narrow margin, two pins. The scorekeeper announces the results as follows:

Moons.			
M. Rabbit	209	204	172-585
Palmer	151	167	167-485
Baker	185	185	118-492
Holbrook	153	126	144-423
Hatcher	163	163	163-489
Totals	859	845	784-2479

Nashes.			
Graves	152	183	152-487
Currier	172	161	142-475
Buschell	132	122	122-416
Dickinson	146	154	154-454
Diddle	171	171	171-513
Totals	664	621	742-2465

Economize always, but never sacrifice quality. Junata brand margarine is an article of unquestionable superiority which is still most moderate in price.

**A WALKING BOOT**  
of distinction, comfortable, glove-like fit, is this "Ultra" model of ours for well dressed women. A woman need not sacrifice comfort and wear to get a dainty boot. Ours combine all the good qualities you seek.

\$8.50 the Pair

FLOYD F. TAYLOR COMPANY  
160 Main St.

**BELASCO'S CHARMING COMEDY**  
The Boomerang Presented with Characteristic Belasco Fluency at Oneonta Theatre—Miss Forbes, a Queen of George I. Wilber in Cost. An appreciative audience composed of large part of many of the city's most discriminating theatregoers witnessed a delightful presentation of Belasco's charming comedy, "The Boomerang," at the Oneonta Theatre last evening. The enjoyment of all being keen, it being only on rare occasions one witnesses so wholesome and entertaining a play, full of the atmosphere of youth and bubbling with humor of the merest sort.

The story of the play centers about the efforts of a clever young physician who attempts a cure upon a young man in the throes of a love affair, by the use of his pet theories relative to love and jealousy and the necessity of "playing the game" if you would win. His chief supporter in the so-called "game" being a winsome nurse, who, falling in love with the doctor, adopts his own ideas in winning him, his most serious prolog a veritable boomerang and giving the significant name to the play.

With a cast carefully selected by its producer, reference to individual members is unnecessary, the production in its entirety being the outstanding feature. Robert Corns as Gerald Sumner was at his best perhaps when elucidating his theories to the nurse, while Dean Cole, as Budd, the young man in love, was intensely amusing throughout the play. William Corcoran, the art pupil both as nurse and in applying the scientific (?) ideas of the learned man of medicine in love affairs, was winsome and clever, while Miss Davis, as Grace Tyler, the object of the young man's affection, well sustained the part in every line.

Equally capable in the part of Marion Sumner, sister of the doctor, was Miss Mary Elizabeth Forbes, a cousin of George I. Wilber, whose quest she was while in the city and who was among the throng enjoying the comedy. Miss Forbes evidenced exceptional talent and those conversant with her relationship to our townsman, were delighted with the skill she displayed in the part.

The entire cast fully sustained the Belasco standard, while the settings which embraced quite an elaborate surgical outfit for a doctor's office and the costumes were of superior excellence. The success of "The Boomerang" is richly merited and its return would attract a crowded house.

**USE THE OLD S-D-MARSHALL'S CATARRH Snuff**  
30¢  
at all Druggists, or sent prepaid by Wm. Marsh & Co., Oneonta, N. Y.  
On Sale at Marsh, The Druggist.

**WE'LL SAY THEY'RE IMPERIAL**  
New Local Basketball Squad Trims Up Otego to Score of 34-23.  
"The Oneonta Imperials," a newly organized local basketball team composed of several of Oneonta's older basketballers, with Paul Jester as manager and E. Pedrone as captain, drew their first blood last night at Otego, when they defeated a town team by the score of 34 to 23. The game, which was played in Fuller's hall, was fast and exciting throughout, and the Oneonta boys came home with a good opinion of the ability of the Otego team, which is coached by "Doc" Wales, the veteran basketball star, and managed by E. Sandike.

The game started off with a rush, and it was an easy matter to see that it wasn't going to be any kids' play. At the end of the first half, the score stood 15 to 11 in favor of Otego. In the last round, however, the Imperials came up in real form and showed that they knew how to play basketball. They soon overcame Otego's lead and closed the game with a 24-13 total. Wales, star guard for Otego, featured with his excellent individual guarding. F. Sandike, official referee in Otego and surrounding towns, presided to the satisfaction of all.

The store in detail follows:  
IMPERIALS— F. D. F. P. T. P.  
Buch, 25— 5 1 7  
Pedrone, 15— 6 0 5  
Stanley, 15— 4 0 5  
Jester, 15— 0 0 0  
Pedrone, 15— 0 0 0  
Wales, 15— 0 0 0  
Lent, sub. — 0 0 0  
Totals — 15 5 34

**VOTE WITH THEIR FINGERS**  
Representatives in Iowa Legislature Use Electrical Voting Device.  
Des Moines, Feb. 10. — Representatives in the Iowa legislature vote their opinions on roll call now with their fingers. No longer does the clerk call the roll and the member vote with his lungs.

One result of the change is a saving of 15 minutes to half an hour in taking a roll call vote. When a question is put to a vote, every representative may vote at the same time. It is difficult for any to wait and see what some one else will do and let his vote follow. Since the session two years ago an electrical voting device has been installed in the house, and already has been used. On each member's desk is a little device to which he carries

**Eat It Anytime—Day or Night**  
and its ease of digestion and sound food value will give you—  
**Contented Nourishment**  
The food is **Grape-Nuts**  
"There's a Reason"

a key. No two keys are alike. There are three small lights to show him how he is voting. When the question is put the legislator inserts the key, and then manipulates the device. What he does is not only recorded for his own benefit by the light on his desk, but shows on a board above the speaker's head. The members all are marked on the board. Opposite the name are three lights and a slot. If his vote is "aye" a red light shows, and a "Y" appears in the slot. A blue light shows and the letter "N" for a negative vote. To merely to record a present and not voting a white light is used. Within 20 seconds after the voting is completed a photograph of the complete record on the board, taken automatically, is delivered to the desk of the clerk. In the meantime, however, the total has been flashed on the speaker's and clerk's desks, so the result can be announced immediately. The photograph is the state's record.

The machine is controlled by the clerk, who unlocks it and sets it when the vote is called for. As soon as completed he again locks the machine.

**Canning's Orchestra.**  
All engagements given prompt attention. S. Ford avenue or phone 1162-W.

**Do You Love Your Wife?**  
Well, buy a Hoosier or lose her. Home Furnishing company. 11  
Just received some more of that fine Iesberg lettuce you like so well. Finigan's grocery. Phone 523. 11  
Ashes removed—Phone 269 Oneonta Trucking company. 12

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH, 9 TO 1 P. M.  
COR. MAIN AND MARKET STREETS

Mr. Producer: Here's your opportunity to sell your surplus produce of all kinds.

Mr. Consumer: Buy here and secure your produce direct and at moderate prices.

By both co-operating the Public Market can be made a great utility to each.

**TRAVER-BLAIR CO., INC.**  
**USED CARS**

6 Used Dodge Brothers Cars  
Prices ranging from \$625 to \$1150  
1 Willys Knight Touring, good as new— Price \$1050

All cars are placed in first class mechanical condition, guaranteed for thirty days.

New and used cars sold on time payment plan of 33-1-3 per cent, 40 per cent or 50 per cent down with the balance in monthly payments.

**FREE**  
A 50c tube of San Tox Antacid Acid Tooth Paste with Each 50c Tooth Brush bought on Friday or Saturday

Compare the prices you are now paying for Drugs and Medicines with those you paid before MILLER-STRONG opened their Oneonta Store. They are 10 per cent to 40 per cent lower. Our prices are uniformly low every day, besides being extremely low on special sales days and on Friday and Saturday Week-End Sales. This Friday and Saturday, we offer some unusually attractive values.

50c	\$1.25	30c
PEPSODENT TOOTH PASTE	LYDIA PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND	HILL'S CASCARA QUININE
32c	79c	15c



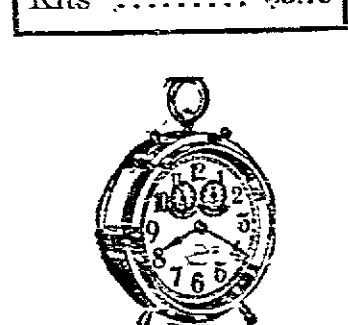
These Chocolates sold recently as high as 80c. Buy them Friday or Saturday at, lb. .... 39c  
Fresh from the factory today.

**BIG SPECIAL**  
Fresh Assorted Cream Caramels  
Reg. 60c lb.; today, lb. .... 29c  
Just received a fresh shipment of Miller-Strong Home-Made

**EXTRA WEEK-END SPECIAL**  
60c Assorted Chocolates, packed in boxes, lb. ... 29c

**SPECIAL TODAY.**  
\$5.00 Universal Lunch Kits ..... \$3.79

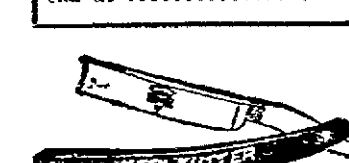
**SPECIAL SALE.**  
\$3.00, 2 qt. Hot Water Bottle, guaranteed 2 years. Special at ..... \$2.30



Sale of All High Grade Alarm Clocks at a big saving—

\$6.00 Alarm Clocks \$4.79  
\$5.75 Radiolite ... \$4.69  
\$4.25 Westclox ... \$3.29

We are putting on sale a limited number of slightly damaged Thermos Bottles; your choice, at ..... One-Half Price



**POCKET KNIVES**  
Greatly Reduced

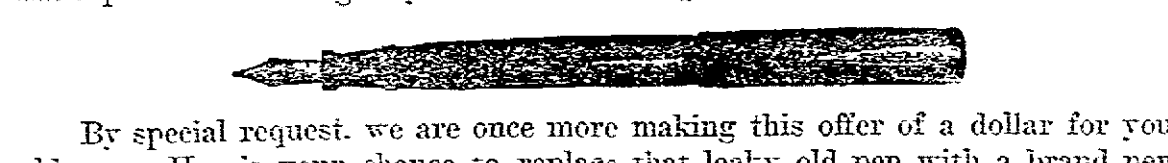
One lot of Stag Handles, priced from \$1.50 to \$3.00, your choice ..... \$1.98  
One lot of Stag Handles Pocket Knives, priced from \$2.50 to \$3.50, your choice ..... \$1.98  
Straight Blade Razors at Bar-Tain Prices.  
\$2.00 Razors for ..... \$2.95  
\$1.00 Razors ..... \$2.49  
One lot of Razors; special ..... \$1.79

**Extra Special Sale of Gillette Razors.**  
\$1.50 Razor ..... \$2.75  
\$4.00 Razor ..... \$4.65  
\$5.00 Antistrep Razor ..... \$3.79  
Also Shaving Materials at Bargain Prices.

**WEEK-END SPECIALS**  
In addition to our everyday cut prices, we offer you special reductions in our Friday and Saturday Week-End Sales that you can't afford to overlook. Get the habit of buying at these week-end sales. You'll save money.

Drugs and Medicines	Toilet Articles
\$1.25 Listerine ..... 79c	\$4.00 Mary Garden Bulk Perfume, oz. .... \$1.98
70c Sal Hepatica ..... 42c	\$1.50 Mary Garden Face Powder ..... 89c
\$1.00 Horlick's Malted Milk ..... \$1.19	30c Palmolive Vanishing Cream ..... 34c
\$1.50 Mako Yerbene ..... 20c	20c Packer's Tar Soap ..... 19c
50c Fletcher's Castoria ..... 32c	25c Woodbury's Soap ..... 17c
\$1.10 Miles' Nettle ..... 89c	30c Pebecco Tooth Paste ..... 34c
70c Sloan's Liniment ..... 41c	20c Kolynos Tooth Paste ..... 17c
\$1.20 Bromo Seltzer ..... 89c	\$1.00 Azura Face Powder ..... 79c
\$1.00 Wampole's Cod Liver Oil ..... 69c	30c Pond's Cold Cream ..... 19c
35c Sate the Baby ..... 19c	35c Palmolive Shaving Cream ..... 24c
50c Doan's Kidney Pills ..... 37c	
40c Pivo Water ..... 17c	
25c Cucumber Soap ..... 15c	
25c Karna Talcum ..... 11c	
25c Chinwah Talcum ..... 11c	

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Bring in your old fountain pen, no matter what condition it's in, so long as it has a point, and we'll give you a dollar for it, provided you buy a new "Shaffer."



By special request, we are once more making this offer of a dollar for your old pen. Here's your chance to replace that leaky old pen with a brand new, smooth writing "Shaffer," and save a dollar on the deal.

No matter what your needs may be, you will at all times be able to trade at our stores with perfect confidence, knowing that our guarantee protects you as to Quality, Service and Prices. We will cheerfully refund your money at any time on any purchase that fails to give complete satisfaction. Make our store your Drug Store. We save you time and money.

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**FREE**  
One 50c Bottle Enchantment Almond Cream with each box Pierette Face Powder, at 75c.  
Every Woman Wants This Combination.  
DON'T MISS IT!

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This week-end we offer unusual values in Cigars and Cigarettes that appeal to you. Stock up. It will pay you.

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at less than wholesale—	Our Special Week-End Cigar Combinations—
Camels ..... \$1.35	2 El Rokan ..... 30c
Lucky Strike ..... \$1.50	1 Mutual ..... 15c
Chesterfields ..... \$1.50	2 Black and White Club ..... 15c
Fatimas ..... \$1.95	2 Black and White Perfect ..... 20c
	100 ..... 65c
	Total ..... 48c

**EXTRA SMOKERS' WEEK-END SPECIAL**  
Your chance to get a box of Cigars at a reasonable price. Regular \$4.50 box of 50 Black & White, and Club House Cigars; week-end special ... \$3.89

**SPECIAL SALE.**  
40c Whisk Brooms ..... 29c

**SPECIAL SALE TODAY.**  
Regular \$5.00 Electric Star Vacuum. Plus any current. At ..... \$3.98

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Hair Brushes, Nail Brushes and Tooth Brushes at a big saving—

30c Guaranteed San Tox Tooth Brush ..... 29c
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One lot of \$1.25 Hair Brushes, your choice while our stock lasts ..... 79c
All \$3.50 Hair Brushes ..... \$2.69
35c Nail Brushes ..... 19c

Friday and Saturday Soda Fountain Specials—  
Hot Caramel, Hot Fudge and all Fruit Sodas ..... 11c  
All Sodas ..... 11c  
Visit Our Parlor.